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## ASSIGNMENT

We, Michael James and Michael Munoz, the undersigned, respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements (the "Improvements") disclosed in a provisional application, designated as Application Serial No. 60/473,548, filed by us with the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") on May 28, 2003, titled "Endo-cap leash (endoscope water-tight cap leash attachment)", and naming Michael Alan James and Michael Munoz as inventors, and a non-provisional application for United States Letters Patent filed by us with the PTO on or about May 25, 2004, titled "Endoscope Cap Connector and Method of Using Same", naming Michael James and Michael Munoz as inventors and claiming the benefit of the above provisional application (both applications jointly, the "Applications"). San Diego Endoscopic Products, LLC, a California limited liability company (together with all of its successors-in-interest, legal representatives, and assignees, as "Assignee"), wants to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the Improvements and the Applications.

Therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, to Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the Improvements and the Applications and all divisions, substitutions, continuations and continuations in part thereof, and all United States Letters Patent which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all priority rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property for every member country, and all applications for patent (including related rights such as utility-model registrations, inventor's certificates, and the like) whether filed before or after this Assignment for the Improvements in any foreign countries, and all patents (including all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof) granted for the Improvements in any foreign countries; and we hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and any officials of foreign countries whose duty it is to issue patents on applications described above, to issue all patents for the Improvements to Assignee in accordance with the terms of this Assignment.

We covenant and agree that: (a) we have full right to convey the entire right, title and interest assigned under this Assignment, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict with this Assignment; and (b) we will promptly communicate to Assignee any facts known to us related to the Improvements, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all applications and divisional, continuation, continuations in part, substitute and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally to everything possible to aid Assignee to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the Improvements in all countries.

Dated: May 25, 2004.

Michael James

STATE OF CALIFORNIA ) ) ss.

COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO )

On May 25, 2004, before me, <u>Rahim Salehpoor</u>, Notary Public, personally appeared Michael James and Michael Munoz, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the persons whose names are subscribed to this instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same in their authorized capacity, and that by their signature on the instrument the persons, or the entity upon behalf of which the persons acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

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