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We, Daniel L. Mooradian and B. Nicholas Oray, citizens of the United States residing at 1296 Dunberry Lane, Eagan, MN 55123 and 9552 Hillingdon Road, Woodbury, MN 55125, respectively, have made an invention relating to CIRCULAR STAPLER BUTTRESS COMBINATION and have today executed an application for United States Letters Patent based thereon and identified by attorney's File No. 38928.1.60, and naming the following inventor(s): Daniel L. Mooradian and B. Nicholas Oray, S.N. 10/109,595, filed 26 March 2002.

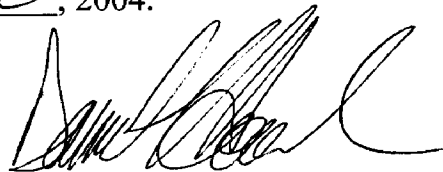
In exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which we now acknowledge, we hereby assign to Synovis Life Technologies, Inc., a Minnesota corporation having its principal place of business at 2575 University Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55114-1024, its successors and assigns:

- (1) The entire right, title and interest to the above-identified invention and application;
- (2) The entire right, title and interest to any United States or foreign Letters Patents which may issue with respect to the above-identified invention;
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- (4) The right to apply for Letters Patents in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights to which such foreign applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise.

We further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments or other documents and to perform such other lawful acts as Synovis Life Technologies, Inc., its successors and assigns may deem necessary to fully secure its rights, title or interest as outlined herein.

We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue to Synovis Life Technologies, Inc. any Letters Patents which may be granted in accordance with this Assignment.

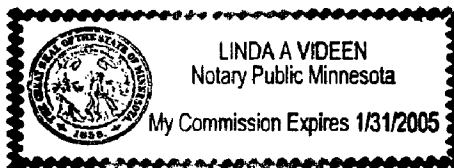
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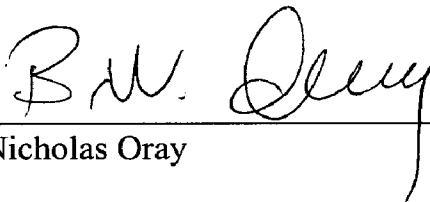
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
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