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Attorney Docket No.: 0101896-294 (DEP-5384)

ASSIGNMENT

We, David D. Konieczynski of Needham, Massachusetts, Michael Jacene of N. Attleboro, Massachusetts, Michael Gorhan of Mansfield, Massachusetts, and Eric Kolb of Milton, Massachusetts, in consideration of One Dollar and other valuable consideration paid to us by

DEPUY SPINE, INC.

a corporation of Ohio, having its principal place of business at 325 Paramount Drive, Raynham, MA 02767-0350, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said

DEPUY SPINE, INC.

its successors and assigns, the entire interest for the United States of America and all foreign countries including all rights of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property in a certain invention or improvement in

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described in a U.S. Patent Application which is being filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office concurrently herewith, and in all Letters Patent of the United States and all foreign countries which may or shall be granted on said invention, or any parts thereof, or on said application, or any divisional, continuing, reissue or other applications based in whole or in part thereon.

And we agree, for ourselves and our executors and administrators, with said corporation and its successors and assigns but at its or their expense and charges, hereafter to execute all applications, amended specifications, deed or other instrument, and to do all acts necessary or proper to secure the grant of Letters Patent in the United States and in all other countries to said corporation, with specifications and claims in such form as shall be approved by the counsel of said corporation and to vest and confirm in said corporation, its successors and assigns, the legal title to all such patents.

And we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue such Letters Patent as shall be granted upon said application or applications based thereon to said corporation, its successors and assigns.

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WITNESS my hand and seal this 7th day of December, 2004.

By: *David D. Konieczynski*
David D. Konieczynski

NOTARIAL SEAL

State/Commonwealth of: Massachusetts

County of: Bristol

On this 7th day of December, 2004 before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared David D. Konieczynski, proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which were personally shown to me to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose.

Amy Schick (official signature and seal of Notary)

My Commissioner Expires: 1-21-2011



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Notary Public
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
My Commission Expires January 21, 2011

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WITNESS my hand and seal this 7 day of December, 2004.

By: [Signature]
Michael Jacene

NOTARIAL SEAL

State/Commonwealth of: Massachusetts

County of: Bristol

On this 7th day of December, 2004 before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Michael Jacene, proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which were personally known to me, to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose.

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WITNESS my hand and seal this 7th day of December, 2004.

By: Michael Gorhan
Michael Gorhan

NOTARIAL SEAL

State/Commonwealth of: Massachusetts

County of: Bristol

On this 7th day of December, 2004 before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Michael Gorhan, proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which were personally known to me, to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose.

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WITNESS my hand and seal this 8TH day of December, 2004.

By: Eric Kolb
Eric Kolb

NOTARIAL SEAL

State/Commonwealth of: Massachusetts

County of: Bristol

On this 8th day of December, 2004 before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Eric Kolb, proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which were personally known to me, to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose.

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