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## RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST

WHEREAS, HealthTronics Surgical Services, Inc. (the "Borrower") together with certain subsidiaries and affiliates of the Borrower (the "Guarantors") were parties to that certain Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated March 5, 2004 (as amended, the "Credit Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, in order to secure the payment, observance and performance of such guaranty obligations as set forth in the Credit Agreement, the Borrower granted SunTrust Bank, as agent for the Lenders a party to the Credit Agreement), a security interest, in all of Borrower's right, title and interest in and to the trademarks, patents and patent applications of Borrower; and

WHEREAS, the Borrower has satisfied all of its obligations under the Credit Agreement (other than any obligations which by their terms survive the termination of the Credit Agreement),

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, SunTrust Bank, as agent for Lenders under the Credit Agreement, does hereby release and relinquish to the Borrower all of its right, title and interest, if any, in and to the trademarks, patents and patent applications of Borrower, including those listed in Exhibit A herein, and does hereby agree to the filing of this Release of Security Interest in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

SUNTRUST BANK

By: K. C. FORSBERG

Title: HEALTH TRONICS VICE PRESIDENT

Date: JULY 26<sup>TH</sup> 2005

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## **EXHIBIT A**

### **Trademarks**

<b>Trademark</b>	<b>Registration Number</b>
NEWTRODE	2,226,613
ORTHOTRIPSY	2,139,652
OSSATRON	2,154,207
VERSATRODE	2,860,795

## Issued U.S. Patents

Patent Registration Number	Title/Description
5,595,178	System, method and apparatus for treatment of degenerative bone
5,692,509	Apparatus for treatment of degenerative bone
4,979,501	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
6,186,963	Device for generating acoustic shock waves, especially for medical applications
6,080,119	Process and Device for generating shock waves for medical uses
6,036,661	Apparatus for administering acoustic shock waves
6,176,839	Method and system for treatment with acoustic shock waves
N/A	Treatment of animals' legs using shockwaves.
6,113,560	Method and device for generating shock waves for medical therapy, particularly for electro-hydraulic lithotripsy
5,458,652	Device for generating shock waves for non contact disintegration of calculi
6,666,834	Method and apparatus for generating shock waves
6,390,995	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions
6,368,292	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions

## Pending U.S. Patent Applications

Patent Application Number	Title/Description
10/099,876	Device for producing electrical discharges in an aqueous medium
10/052,222	Method and device for applying pressure waves to the body of an organism
10/154,393	Apparatus for administering acoustic shock waves having a removable and replaceable component a data storage medium
10/176,647	Method and apparatus for producing shock waves for medical applications
10/372,260	Medical System
10/636,665	Method for treatment laminitis in horses, ponies and other equines with acoustic waves
10/771,439	Treatment of Osteoarthritis
10/779,696	Apparatus for generating shock waves
N/A	The method involves a measurement of shock wave pulses using the change in electrical characteristics of PZT-Elements (piezoelectric effect)
N/A – patent application filed on Sept. 30, 2004	Flexible therapy head
10/246,264	Methods for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions
N/A	Use of unfocused or wide focused pressure waves to treat cellulite.
N/A	Electrode Assembly for Lithotripter
09/860,268	Method of using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions
60/382,236	Method and system for using acoustic shock waves in the disintegration and dissolution of pharmaceutical dosage forms

## Abandoned U.S. Patents and Applications

Patent Number/ Patent Application Number	Title/Description
60/014,742	N/A
08/799,585	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical, dental, and veterinary conditions
09/120,267	Method of using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions.
09/427,686	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions (open wounds and other pathologies)
09/850,781	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions
10/429,033	Treating joint implants
10/047,039	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of bone bruises
10/126,712	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions – abnormal or painful scarring along pin tracts
10/126,827	Method of using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions – arthrodesis of the joint
10/126,573	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions – peripheral nerve injury or syndrome
10/126,322	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions
10/126,161	Method for using acoustic shock waves in the treatment of medical conditions – neoplastic disease
10/161,701	Method of using shock waves in the treatment of medical, dental and veterinary conditions

## Foreign Patents

Patent Number/ Jurisdiction	Title/Description
AUS 612,671	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
CAN 1,330,500 – Canada	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
CHI 881,037,036 - China	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
HUN 203,483 – Hungary	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
JAP 504,849 – Japan	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
KOR 063,684 – Korea	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
WO 88/09190	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
RUS 1836 056 – Russia	Method and apparatus for medical treatment of pathological state of bones
DE 197 18 513 – Germany	Device for generating acoustic shock waves, especially for medical applications
DE 297 24 174.5 Gerbrauchsmuster (utility model) – Germany	Device for generating acoustic shock waves, especially for medical applications
DE 197 18 512 C1 – Germany	Process and Device for generating shock waves for medical uses
DE 197 18 511 – Germany	Apparatus for administering acoustic shock waves
DE 297 23 605.9 Gebrauchsmuster (utility model) – Germany	Apparatus for administering acoustic shock waves
DE 197 33 838 – Germany	Method and system for treatment with acoustic shock waves
EP 0 781 447 B1 – Germany, France, Switzerland	Method and device for generating shock waves for medical therapy, particularly for electro-hydraulic lithotripsy
JP10508221T - Japan	Method and device for generating shock waves for medical therapy, particularly for electro-hydraulic lithotripsy
WO 96/09621	Method and device for generating shock waves for medical therapy, particularly for electro-hydraulic lithotripsy
DE 592 07 731 D – Germany	Device for generating shock waves for non contact disintegration of calculi
EP 0 590 177 B1 – Germany, France, Italy	Device for generating shock waves for non contact disintegration of calculi



Patent Number/ Jurisdiction	Title/Description
ES2097848T – Spain	Device for generating shock waves for non contact disintegration of calculi
JP 61 140 68 – Japan	Device for generating shock waves for non contact disintegration of calculi
DE 101 12 461 C2 – Germany	Device for producing electrical discharges in an aqueous medium
N/A – patent application filed Jan. 19, 2001 – Germany	Method and device for applying pressure waves to the body of an organism
N/A – patent application filed Jan. 19, 2001 – Japan	Method and device for applying pressure waves to the body of an organism
N/A – patent application filed Jan. 11, 2001 - Germany	Method and apparatus for generating shock waves
N/A – patent application filed Jan. 11, 2001 – Japan	Method and apparatus for generating shock waves
N/A – patent application filed Jan. 11, 2001 – Germany	For usage in creating a homogeneous mixture for non-shock wave applications
DE 101 12 458 – Germany	The method involves detecting a pressure-dependent change in the optical characteristics of the liquid medium.
N/A – patent application filed May 22, 2002 – Switzerland	Apparatus for administering acoustic shock waves having a removable and replaceable component a data storage medium
N/A – patent application filed May 23, 2001 – Germany	Apparatus for administering acoustic shock waves having a removable and replaceable component a data storage medium
N/A – patent application filed May 23, 2002 – Japan	Apparatus for administering acoustic shock waves having a removable and replaceable component a data storage medium
DE 201 08 918.1 Gerbrauchsmuster (utility model) – Germany	Housing for CPU, power supply, et al in VesaTron and EvoTron
N/A – patent application filed June 20, 2002 – Switzerland	Method and apparatus for producing shock waves for medical applications
N/A – patent application filed June 26, 2001 – Germany	Method and apparatus for producing shock waves for medical applications
EP 1338 249 A2 & EP 1338 249 A3 – EP	Medical System
EP 1 405 604 A1 – EP	X-ray, ultrasound and shock wave applicator all-in-one device with same targeted focal point.
Appl. # 03008163.2-1240 - EP	Design for coaxial assembly for a high voltage generator that will allow the power supply, coil and capacitor to charge at a high voltage

Patent Number/ Jurisdiction	Title/Description
EP 1 452 141 A1 – EP	Apparatus for generating shock waves
Appl. # 03022056.0-1265 - EP	Flexible therapy head