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ASSIGNMENT BY INVENTOR

THIS ASSIGNMENT, made this 28TH day of February, 2005, by Richard V. Mazzolla (hereinafter referred to as Assignors), residing at 43 Spring Valley Road, Hardwick, New Jersey 07825;

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented certain new and useful improvements in SURGICAL OBTURATOR, set forth in a Patent application for Letters Patent of the United States, already filed on July 13, 2004 as U.S. application No. 10/890078; and

WHEREAS, Patton Surgical Corporation, a corporation organized under and pursuant to the laws of Delaware having its principal place of business at 1000 Westbank Drive, Suite 5A200, Austin, Texas 78746 (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said Application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefore and thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions and application for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all direct and indirect divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application, and any and all Letters Patent in the United States and all foreign countries which may be granted therefore and thereon, and reissues, reexaminations and extensions of said Letters Patent, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and benefit and the use and benefit of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent may be granted and/or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor, had this sale and assignment not been made.

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AND Assignor hereby grants the following individuals the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document:

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