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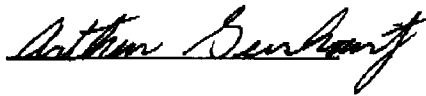
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WHEREAS, THE UNDERSIGNED, Arthur D. Gershowitz has/have invented certain new and useful improvements entitled: Air Removal Device With Float Valve For Blood Perfusion System, having Attorney Docket No. 0097P(16976), for which I/we intend to make application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, TERUMO CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEMS CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 6200 Jackson Road, Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to my employment agreement heretofore made with TERUMO CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEMS CORPORATION, or by my contractual obligation, and for valuable consideration which is hereby acknowledged, I/we do sell, assign and transfer unto TERUMO CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEMS CORPORATION the full and exclusive right for the United States of America and for all countries throughout the world to the said invention, as described in the specification executed by me/us, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent therefor (and I/we hereby authorize my/our attorneys to insert the serial number and filing date herein:

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