

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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Kevin PATMORE	08/23/2005
William D. CHILDS	08/23/2005
Michael J. PETROWSKI	08/18/2005
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State/Country:	MICHIGAN
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, (1) Richard L. McDaniel, (2) Jeffrey C. Shiery,
(3) Kevin Patmore, (4) William D. Childs, (5) Michael J. Petrowski

hereinafter called "ASSIGNORS", residing at (1) 62232 Shaffer Road,
Constantine, Michigan; (2) 4199 D Drive South, East LeRoy, Michigan;
(3) 6807 Bentley Drive, Kalamazoo, Michigan; (4) 12193 Gilmore Pt.,
Plainwell, Michigan; (5) W1923 Fairfield Lane, Sheboygan, Wisconsin

have invented certain new and useful improvements in

PATIENT SUPPORT APPARATUS

for which an application for United States Letters Patent was signed
by us on even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, Stryker Corporation
hereinafter called "ASSIGNEE", a corporation of the State of Michigan,
having a place of business at 2725 Fairfield Road
P.O. Box 4085
Kalamazoo, MI 49003-4085

is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and
to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted
therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00)
to us in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and
other valuable consideration, we the ASSIGNORS have sold, assigned and
transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto
said ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right to said invention in the
United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign
countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and
all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States
and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries
and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and
extensions thereof.

We hereby authorize and request the Patent Office Officials in
the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any
and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said ASSIGNEE as the
assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same,
for the sole use and behoof of said ASSIGNEE, its successors and
assigns.

FURTHER, we agree that we will communicate to said ASSIGNEE or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said ASSIGNEE, make all rightful oaths or declarations, and generally cooperate with said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 23 day of 05 AUGUST.

Signed: Richard L. McDaniel
RICHARD L. McDANIEL

Signed in the presence of:

Laurie L. Hale

STATE OF Michigan)
COUNTY OF Kalamazoo) ss.

On this 23rd day of August 2005, personally appeared before me the above-named RICHARD L. McDANIEL, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.

Laurie L. Hale
Notary Public

SEAL

LAURIE L. HALE
NOTARY PUBLIC - MICHIGAN
My Commission expires **ALLEGAN COUNTY**
My Commission Expires July 28, 2007

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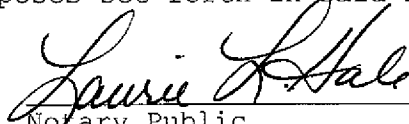
Signed: Jeffrey C. Shier
JEFFREY C. SHIER

Signed in the presence of:

Laurie L. Hale

STATE OF Michigan)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Kalamazoo)

On this 23rd day of August 2005, personally appeared before me the above-named JEFFREY C. SHIERY, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.



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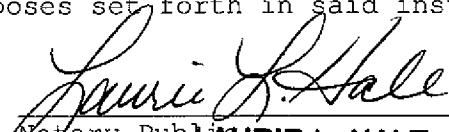
KEVIN PATMORE

Signed in the presence of:



STATE OF Michigan)
) ss.
COUNTY OF Kalamazoo)

On this 23rd day of August 2005, personally appeared before me the above-named KEVIN PATMORE, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.



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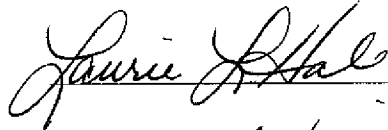
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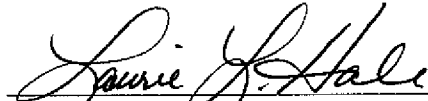
Signed: 
WILLIAM D. CHILDS

Signed in the presence of:



STATE OF Michigan)
COUNTY OF Kalamazoo) ss.

On this 23rd day of August, 2005, personally appeared before me the above-named WILLIAM D. CHILDS, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.


Notary Public
LAURIE L. HALE
NOTARY PUBLIC - MICHIGAN
ALLEGAN COUNTY
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 18th day of August.


Signed: 
MICHAEL J. PETROWSKI

Signed in the presence of:



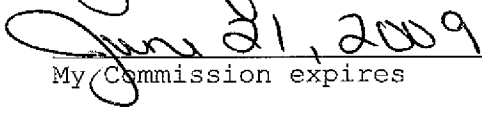
STATE OF)
) ss.
COUNTY OF)

On this 18th day of August, personally appeared before me the above-named MICHAEL J. PETROWSKI, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.



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