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## **ASSIGNMENT**

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Inc., a corporation having a principal place of business at 4545 Creek Road, Cincinnati, OH 45242-2839 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR"), does hereby assign to

InBae Yoon,

an individual residing at 11886 Farside Road, Ellicott City, MD 21042 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), his successors, assigns, nominees, or other legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and to all improvements in the following United States Patent:

U.S. Patent No. 6,395,012, entitled "APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DELIVERING AND DEPLOYING AN EXPANDABLE BODY MEMBER IN A UTERINE CAVITY"; Issued: 5/28/2002

said United States Patent having been previously assigned to ASSIGNOR, and any and all applications for patent and patents in any and all countries, including all division, continuations, reissues, and extensions thereof and all rights or priority resulting from the filing of any such applications, and authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue any patent on said improvements or resulting therefrom to the said "ASSIGNEE," his successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, as assignee of the entire interest, and we covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned and that we have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and agree that we will communicate to said "ASSIGNEE," his successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives all facts known to us respecting said invention, whenever requested, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and do all lawful acts requisite for the application for such divisional, continuing or reissue applications, or the procuring thereof, and that if and when said "ASSIGNEE," his successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives desire to file a disclaimer relating thereto, we will, upon request, sign all lawful papers requisite for the filing of such disclaimer, and we further covenant and agree that we will, at any time upon request, do everything legally possible to aid said "ASSIGNEE," his successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives, either in his or their own name, to apply for, obtain and enforce patent, Utility Model and/or Inventor's Certificate protection for said improvements in all countries, all without further consideration but at the expense of said "ASSIGNEE," his successors, assigns, nominees, or other legal representatives.

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