

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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NEW ASSIGNMENT

NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:

ASSIGNMENT

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Execution Date
Ortho Innovations LLC	11/15/2005

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Zimmer Spine, Inc.
Street Address:	7375 Bush Lake Road
City:	Minneapolis
State/Country:	MINNESOTA
Postal Code:	55439

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 5

Property Type	Number
Application Number:	10358427
Application Number:	10673680
Application Number:	10661371
Application Number:	10618689
Application Number:	10733160

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## NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

Ortho Innovations LLC, an Ohio Limited Liability Company with a principal place of business at 1517 Coining Drive, Toledo, OH 43612, was the owner of all right, title, and interest in the following:

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/358,427;  
U.S. Patent Application No. 10/673,680;  
U.S. Patent Application No. 10/661,371;  
U.S. Patent Application No. 10/618,689; and  
U.S. Patent Application No. 10/733,160.

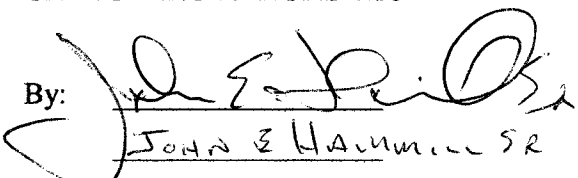
For good and valuable consideration, Ortho Innovations LLC entered into an Assignment Agreement on March 1, 2004, with Centerpulse Spine-Tech Inc., d/b/a Zimmer Spine, a Delaware corporation, with a principal place of business at 7375 Bush Lake Road, Minneapolis, MN 55439.

The Assignment Agreement grants Centerpulse Spine-Tech Inc. all right, title and interest in the noted Patent Applications and in all inventions and improvements disclosed therein, including all continuations, continuations-in-part, and divisional applications, and all patents issuing therefrom, together with all reissues, re-examinations and extensions, and all corresponding foreign patent applications and patents in any and all countries of the world.

In Witness Whereof, Ortho Innovations LLC, has caused this Agreement to be executed by a duly authorized representative on this 15 day of Nov, 2005.

ORTHO INNOVATIONS LLC

By:

  
JOHN E. HAMMILL SR  
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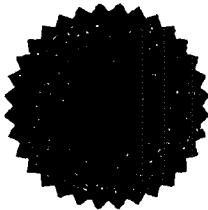
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*The First State*

I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF  
DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "CENTERPULSE  
SPINE-TECH INC.", FILED A CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT, CHANGING ITS  
NAME TO "ZIMMER SPINE, INC.", THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF APRIL,  
A.D. 2004, AT 11:30 O'CLOCK A.M.

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*Harriet Smith Windsor*

Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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**CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT  
OF  
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
CENTERPULSE SPINE-TECH INC.**

Centerpulse Spine-Tech Inc., a corporation duly organized and existing under the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "Corporation"),

**DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:**

**FIRST:** That the Board of Directors of the Corporation, by unanimous written consent, has adopted a resolution proposing and declaring advisable the following amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation:

**RESOLVED**, that the Certificate of Incorporation of Centerpulse Spine-Tech Inc. be amended by changing Article I thereof so that, as amended, said Article I shall be and read as follows:

**"The name of the corporation is Zimmer Spine, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation")."**

**SECOND:** That the sole shareholder of the Corporation, by written consent, has given consent to said amendment in accordance with the provisions of Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

**THIRD:** That the aforesaid amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the applicable provisions of Sections 242 and 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Centerpulse Spine-Tech Inc. has caused this Certificate to be executed by Chad F. Phipps, its authorized officer, on this 28th day of April, 2004.

By:   
Chad F. Phipps  
Assistant Secretary