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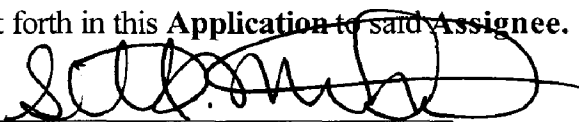
Whereas, I, (the “**Inventor**”), **Scott T. Morton**, whose post office address is 423 Woodrow Avenue, New Albany, Indiana 47150 USA, have invented certain improvements in a **ANKLE BRACE WITH REMOVABLE PLATE**, (the “**Invention**”), and have executed a utility application for United States Letters Patent of the same title filed herewith (the “**Application**”); and

Whereas, (the “**Assignee**”), **ACTIVE ANKLE SYSTEMS, INC.**, of Louisville, Kentucky, a Kentucky Corporation whose post office address is 233 Quartermaster Court, Jeffersonville, Indiana 47130 (including its successors and assigns), desires to acquire our entire right, title and interest in said **Application** and **Invention**, and any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said **Assignee**, the entire right, title and interest in said **Application** and the **Invention** disclosed therein for the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto, including rights of priority under the International Convention of Paris (1883) as amended and the entire right, title, and interest in and to any and all patent applications, patents, continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals, and reissues based thereon which may be filed or granted therefor in the United States or any foreign country. I also agree that **Assignee**, may apply for foreign Letters Patent on the **Invention**, and I agree to cooperate with **Assignee**, and to execute

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I hereby authorize and request the U.S. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in this **Application** to said **Assignee**.


Scott T. Morton

Executed this 6 day of September, 2005 at New Albany, Indiana.

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Before me personally appeared the above-listed inventor and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed this ___ day of _____, 2005.

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