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*check applicable box(es)* ☒: for the United States of America (as defined in 35 U.S.C. § 100),  
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in the invention(s) known as ENDOSCOPE AND RELATED SYSTEM for which non-provisional application(s) for patent in the United States of America has (have) been executed by the undersigned herewith (also known as United States Application No. 11/128,112, filed May 11, 2005 ), in any and all non-provisional applications based thereon, in any and all Letters Patent(s) therefor, and in any and all reissues, extensions, renewals, reexaminations of such applications or Letters Patent(s) and divisional and continuation applications thereof, to the full end of the term or terms for which such Letters Patent(s) issue, including all claims, if any, that may have arisen for infringement prior to the date of this assignment, such entire right, title and interest to be held and enjoyed by the above-named Assignee to the same extent as they would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned had this assignment and sale not been made.

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THOMAS R. DEPPMEIER

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On this 16th day of January, ~~2005~~ <sup>2006</sup>, before me personally appeared Thomas R. DEPPMEIER., to me known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me to have executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me to have executed the same for the purpose therein set forth.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16 day of JANUARY, 2006  
CRAIG J. SPEIER

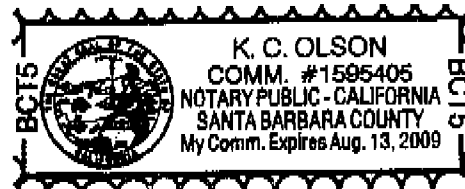
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On this 16th day of January, 2006, before me personally appeared Craig J. SPEIER, to me known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me to have executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me to have executed the same for the purpose therein set forth.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23 day of August, 2005.

Josiah Verkaik  
JOSIAH E. VERKAIK

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On this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2005, before me personally appeared Josiah E. VERKAIK, to me known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me to have executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me to have executed the same for the purpose therein set forth.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 7 day of NOVEMBER 2005.

Robert R. Walls  
ROBERT R. WALLS

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On this 7th day of Nov., 2005, before me personally appeared Robert R. WALLS., to me known and known to me to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me to have executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me to have executed the same for the purpose therein set forth.

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