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Serial No. 11/404,217
Filed April 14, 2006

WHEREAS, Gina M. Szweda, a citizen of the United States, residing at 837 Van Dyke #4, Cincinnati, Ohio 45226; Patrick A. Weizman, a citizen of the United States, residing at 6528 Michele Lane, Liberty Township, Ohio 45044; Richard F. Schwemberger, a citizen of the United States, residing at 8250 Eagle Creek Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45247; John L. Randall, Jr., a citizen of the United States, residing at 8856 Ashbrook Drive, West Chester, Ohio 45069; John L. Stammen, a citizen of the United States, residing at 8238 Glenhaven Court, Cincinnati, Ohio 45241; John P. Measamer, a citizen of the United States, residing at 8780 Weller Station Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45249; and Anil K. Nalagatta, a citizen of the United States, residing at 4653 Sarah Drive, Mason, Ohio 45040 (hereinafter called "Assignors"), have made certain new and useful inventions or discoveries relating to "ENDOSCOPIC DEVICE AND METHOD OF PACKAGING"; for which they have this day executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Inc., a corporation formed under the laws of the State of Ohio, (hereinafter called "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring Assignors' entire right, title, and interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other valuable considerations to him moving, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have sold, assigned, and transferred, and does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto said Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in and to all said inventions and discoveries disclosed in said application whose identification above by serial number and filing date, when available is hereby authorized, and in and to said application, all substitutions, divisions, and continuations thereof, and in and to all Letters Patent, United States and foreign, that may be granted for said inventions and discoveries, and in and to all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors if this Assignment and sale had not been made;

And Assignors hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States to issue said Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment;

And for the consideration aforesaid, Assignors covenant and agree with said Assignee that they have a full and unencumbered title to the inventions and discoveries above described and hereby assigned, which title he warrants unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns;

And for the consideration aforesaid, Assignors further covenant and agree that they will, whenever requested, but without cost to them promptly communicate to said Assignee or its representatives any facts known to them relating to said inventions and discoveries, testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said inventions and discoveries, and execute any additional papers that may be necessary to enable said Assignee or its representatives, successors, nominees, or assigns to secure full and complete protection for the said inventions and discoveries or that may be necessary to vest in said Assignee the complete title to the said inventions and discoveries and patents hereby conveyed and to enable it to record said title.

7 day of June, 2006 IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this


Gina M. Szweđa

STATE OF OHIO

ss.

COUNTY OF Hamilton

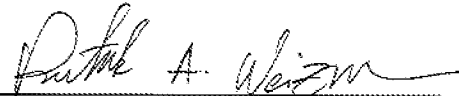
BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 7 day of June, 2006, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Gina M. Szweđa, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.



KIMBERLY MELLISSA MOSES
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
September 23, 2008


Notary Public

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day of JUNE, 2006

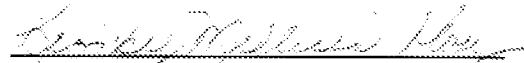

Patrick A. Weizman

STATE OF OHIO
COUNTY OF HAMILTON ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 7 day of JUNE, 2006, before me,
a Notary Public, personally appeared Patrick A. Weizman, who I am satisfied is the person
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7th day of JUNE, 2006 IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this

Richard F Schwemberger
Richard F. Schwemberger

STATE OF OHIO

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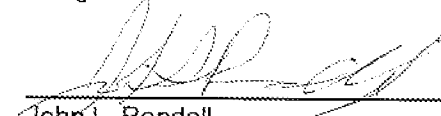
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Kimberly Mellissa Moses
Notary Public



KIMBERLY MELLISSA MOSES
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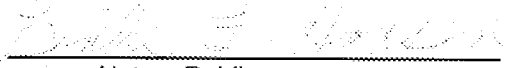
John L. Randall

STATE OF OHIO

ss.

COUNTY OF HAMILTON

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 7th day of July, 2006, before me,
a Notary Public, personally appeared John L. Randall, who I am satisfied is the person named
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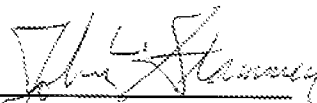


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LINDA F. HANSEN
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
July 11, 2008

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this
7th day of July, 2006



John L. Stammen

STATE OF OHIO


ss.

COUNTY OF HAMILTON

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 7 day of July, 2006, before me,
a Notary Public, personally appeared John L. Stammen, who I am satisfied is the person
named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made
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LINDA F. HANSEN
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
July 11, 2008



Notary Public

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7 day of JUNE, 2006

John P. Measamer
John P. Measamer

STATE OF OHIO

ss.

COUNTY OF HAMILTON

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 7 day of JUNE, 2006, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared John P. Measamer, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.



KIMBERLY MELLISSA MOSES
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires
September 23, 2006

Kimberly Melissa Moses
Notary Public

7 day of June, 2006 IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this

Anil Nalagatla
Anil K. Nalagatla

STATE OF OHIO
COUNTY OF Hamilton ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 7 day of June, 2006, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Anil K. Nalagatla, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.



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Kimberly Mellissa Moses
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