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ASSIGNMENT

I, Hans Naegerl, a citizen of Germany, residing at Lange Hecke 41; 37130
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and each of us, if more than one person is identified above (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR") in
consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), or the equivalent thereof, and other good and
valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which and receipt of which are hereby acknowledged,
paid to ASSIGNOR by

HJS GELENK SYSTEM GMBH

a Corporation organized under the laws of Germany, located at Mauerkircher Strasse 180,
81925 Munich, GERMANY (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), do hereby sell and assign to said
ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the below indicated right, title, and interest, in and for
the United States of America only in and to my Invention entitled:

**APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DETERMINING AND ADJUSTING THE OPTIMAL
RELATIVE POSITION OF A FUNCTIONAL SURFACE AND OF CORRESPONDINGLY
SHAPED IMPLANT COMPONENTS OF AN ARTIFICIAL JOINT**

invented by me and described in the specification bearing the above Attorney Docket No. and
title executed by me concurrently herewith; and Patent Application No. 10 2005 044 044.4-35,
filed on September 14, 2005, in Germany and all patents, divisions, reissues, continuations and
any extensions thereof and rights of priority therein, said interest being my entire ownership
interest in the same, to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, or
other legal representatives, to the full end of the term thereof, as fully and entirely as the same
would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment and sale had not been made;

And for the consideration aforesaid, I hereby covenant and agree to and with said
ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, that whenever ASSIGNEE, its counsel or
representative, or the counsel or representative of its successors or assigns, shall advise that an
amendment to, or a division of, or any other proceeding or action in connection with an
application concerning said Invention, including interference proceedings, is lawful and

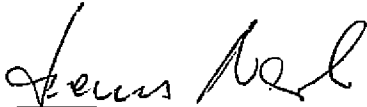
desirable, or that a reissue or continuation or extension of such application or patent issuing therefrom is lawful and desirable, I will sign all papers and drawings, take all rightful oaths and affidavits, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement of all lawful rights associated with the Invention, or for the reissue or continuation or extension of the same, will do all acts necessary or required to secure in said ASSIGNEE, its successors or assigns, the title to and full benefit of all rights hereby assigned, without charge to said ASSIGNEE or its successors or assigns, but at its or their expense; and I hereby appoint every present or future officer of said ASSIGNEE as my agent to sign all such papers and to do all such necessary acts on my behalf, to the fullest extent permitted by law;

And I hereby authorize and request the Commission of Patents and Trademarks and any other granting authority to issue any Letters Patent resulting from said Invention and application(s) concerning same to said ASSIGNEE.

This assignment shall have an effective date corresponding to the last date of execution.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, and under penalty of the laws of any other jurisdiction before which this document may be presented, that I have signed this document as my own free act and that all of the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: 1st Sept - 2006


Hans Naegerl, Inventor