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Peter GEISTLICH, a citizen of Switzerland, residing at Kehrsitenstrasse 19, CH-6362 Stansstad, Switzerland; and

Lothar SCHLOESSER, a citizen of Germany, residing at Von-der-Au-strasse 27, D-64297 Darmstadt, Germany; (hereinafter ASSIGNORS), are the inventors of an invention entitled METHOD OF REPAIRING MENISCAL TEARS for which we have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States, serial number PCT/US2006/034329, filed September 1, 2006; and


WHEREAS, ED. GEISTLICH SOEHNE AG FUER CHEMISCHE INDUSTRIE incorporated in Switzerland, with a place of business Bahnhofstrasse 40, CH-6110 Wolhusen, Switzerland (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application;

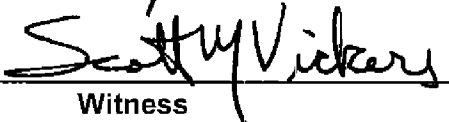
NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we the said ASSIGNORS have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof and all rights of priority in any such country or countries based upon the filing of the said application for Letters Patent of the United States which are created by any law, treaty or international convention; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said invention to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

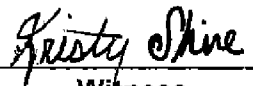
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AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year set opposite our respective signatures.

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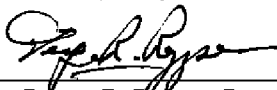
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