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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION AND
PATENTS THEREON

WHEREAS, We, Emmanuel Zylber, residing in F-13008 Marseille and particularly at ESC B6 82 BD Michelet, F-13008 Marseille, Thomas Egli, residing in CH-8604 Volketswil and particularly at Sunnebuelstr. 33, CH-8604 Volketswil, Nimrod Meier, residing in 8447 Dachsen, Switzerland, and particularly at Hindergartenstr. 18, 8447 Dachsen, Switzerland, and Michael Filippi, residing in 8200 Schaffhausen, Switzerland and particularly at Feisgutstieg 17, 8200 Schaffhausen, Switzerland invented a new and improved SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INSERTION OF FLEXIBLE SPINAL STABILIZATION ELEMENT as fully disclosed in an application for Patent, Serial No. _____, filed on _____; and whereas, Zimmer GmbH a corporation having its principal office at Sulzer Allee 8, CH-8404, Winterthur, Switzerland desires to acquire the entire interest in and to the subject-matter disclosed in said application and in and to all patents issued or to be issued thereon. I hereby authorize and request any one of the attorneys of Wood, Herron & Evans, L.L.P., 441 Vine Street, 2700 Carew Tower, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202, to insert herein the application serial number and filing date of said application when known.


NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said Zimmer GmbH my entire right, title and interest in and to the subject-matter disclosed in said application and in and to all Letters Patent Domestic and Foreign issued or to be obtained thereon, including all rights and interests with priority rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the International Patent Cooperative Union, European Patent Convention, Common Market Convention, or any other Convention or Union for each country of said Convention or Union; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the Letters Patent granted on said application and all future patents granted upon the subject-matter disclosed therein to the above named Assignee, its legal representatives and assigns.



Emmanuel Zylber

March 13th 2007.

(Date)



Thomas Egli

March 13th 2007

(Date)



Nimrod Meier

March 13th 2007

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Michael Filippi

March 13th 2007

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