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April 24, 2007

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Michael S. Williams, Richard S. Stack, Geoffrey A. Orth, Jeff Smith, Richard A. Glenn, Daniel W. Fifer and William L. Athas, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNORS", have invented certain new and useful improvements as described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: PROCEDURAL CANNULA AND SUPPORT SYSTEM FOR SURGICAL PROCEDURES USING NATURAL ORIFICE ACCESS

Filing Date: April 24, 2007

Application No.: 11/789,381

WHEREAS, SYNECOR, LLC, a corporation of the State of Delaware, 3908 Patriot Drive, Suite 170, Durham, North Carolina 27703 hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the said invention and application and in any Letters Patent which may be granted on the same;

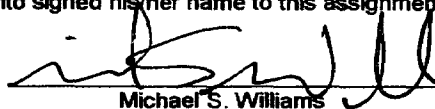
NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that, for One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignors, Assignors have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said Assignee, and Assignee's successors and assigns, all right, title and interest in and to the said invention, said application for United States Letters Patent, and any Letters Patent which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world including any divisions, renewals, continuations in whole or in part, substitutions, conversions, reissues, prolongations or extensions thereof, said interest to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by said Assignors had this assignment and transfer not been made, to the full end and term of any such Letters Patent.

Assignors further agree that they will, without charge to said Assignee, but at Assignee's expense, cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of said application and/or applications, execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all such further papers, including applications for Letters Patent and for the reissue thereof, and instruments of assignment and transfer thereof, and will perform such other acts as Assignee lawfully may request, to obtain or maintain Letters Patent for said invention and improvement in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in said Assignee, or Assignee's successors and assigns.

Assignors hereby authorize and request Stallman & Pollock LLP, 353 Sacramento Street, Suite 2200, San Francisco, California 94111, to insert herein above the application number and filing date of said application when known.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto signed his/her name to this assignment on the date indicated below.

Date: July 19, 2007

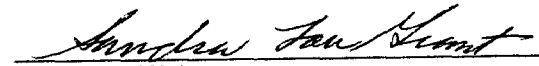

Michael S. Williams

State of California

County of Sonoma

On July 19, 2007 before me, Sandra Lou Grant,
personally appeared Michael S. Williams personally known to me or proved to me on the
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instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.


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Date: 6.20.07

Richard S. Stack
Richard S. Stack

State of North Carolina

County of Durham

On June 20, 2007 before me, Rebecca Booker,
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Rebecca Booker
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Geoffrey A. Orth

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 Jeffrey A. Smith

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Date: July 19, 2007

Richard A. Glenn
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Date: July 19, 2007

Daniel W. Fifer
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Date: _____

 William L. Athas

State of _____
 County of _____

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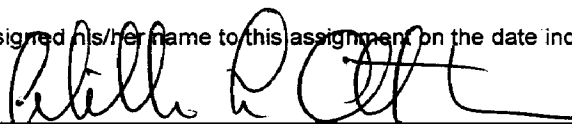
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William L. Athas

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