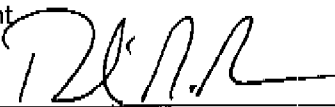


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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Brad S. Culbert, a Canada citizen, residing at 18 Ballantree, Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688, Larry Khoo, M.D., a U.S. citizen, residing at 12144 Laurel Terrace Drive, Studio City, CA 91604, and Bob Flower, a U.S. citizen, residing at 27550 Ethan Allen Way, Sun City, CA 92585, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SPINAL FIXATION for which we have filed an application for Letters Patent in the United States, Application No. 11/738,371, Filed on April 20, 2007;

AND WHEREAS, Interventional Spine, Inc. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a California Corporation, with its principal place of business at 13700 Alton Parkway, Suite 160, Irvine, CA 92618-1618, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to said improvements and said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, said inventor, do hereby acknowledge that I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to and under said improvements, and said application including all provisional applications relating thereto (including but not limited to U.S. Provisional Application No(s). 60/794,171, filed April 21, 2006 (respectively if plural applications)), 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 rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and I 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 improvements to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE DO HEREBY sell, assign, transfer, and convey to ASSIGNEE, his successors, legal representatives, and assigns all claims for damages and all remedies arising out of any violation of the rights assigned hereby that may have accrued prior to the date of assignment to ASSIGNEE, or may accrue hereafter, including, but not limited to, the right to sue for, collect, and retain damages for past infringements of said Letters Patent before or after issuance.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will communicate to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, 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 said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

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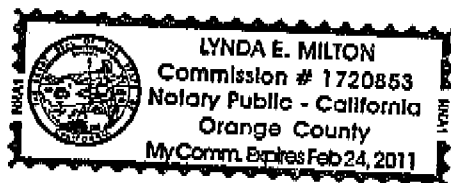
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On September 12, 2007, before me, LYNDA E. MILTON, notary public, personally appeared Brad S. Culbert personally known to me (~~or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence~~) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/~~are~~ subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity(~~ies~~), and that by his signature(~~s~~) on the instrument the person(~~s~~), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(~~s~~) acted, executed the instrument.

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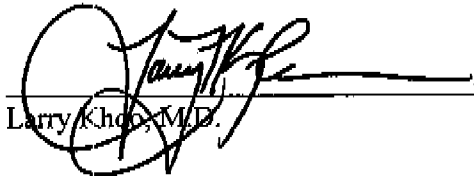


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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 7 day of
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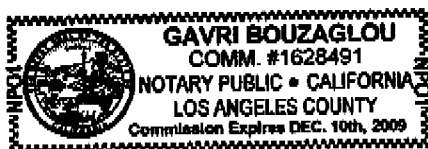
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of September, 2007.

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On September 12, 2007, before me, LYNDA E. MILTON, notary public, personally appeared Bob Flower personally known to me ~~(or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence)~~ to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity(ies), and that by his signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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