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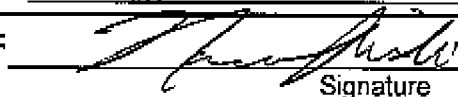
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **Stephen K. Bubb**, a citizen of the United States residing at 1257 Huntington Road, Kansas City, MO 64113; (hereinafter referred to as the "Assignor") am an original joint inventor of a certain new and useful **Tissue Closure Treatment System, Patient Interface and Method**, Patent No. 6,936,037, issued August 30, 2005, for which I will have or have executed a Declaration for Utility Patent Application of the United States; and

WHEREAS, KCI Licensing, Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, whose address is P.O. Box 659508, San Antonio, Texas 78265-9508 ("Assignee"), is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said improvements and the said application;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said assignor, have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and by these presents, do hereby sell, transfer, and set over, unto the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, our entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said improvements, 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 hereinafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; 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 improvements to the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

AND, I hereby covenant that I have the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

AND, I hereby further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the 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 the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent and similar protection for said improvement in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 11 day of ~~September~~ September 2007.

Stephen K. Bubb
Assignor, Stephen K. Bubb

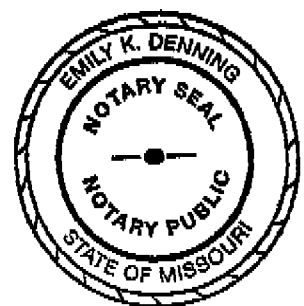
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Before me, a notary public, on this day personally appeared **Stephen K. Bubb**, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 11th day of September, 2007.

Emily K. Denning
Notary Public

My commission expires:



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