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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT

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(hereinafter referred to as Assignor(s)), have invented a certain invention entitled:

**MEDICAL ROBOTIC SYSTEM WITH FUNCTIONALITY TO DETERMINE &
DISPLAY A DISTANCE INDICATED BY MOVEMENT OF A TOOL
ROBOTICALLY MANIPULATED BY AN OPERATOR**

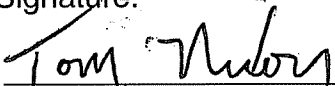
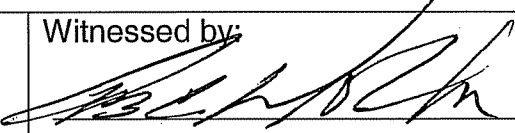
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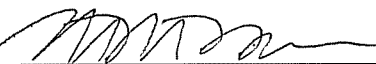
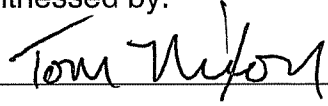
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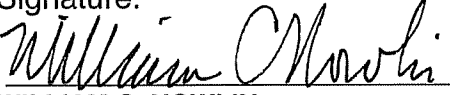
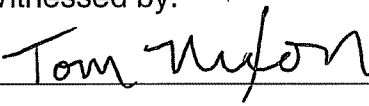
Intuitive Surgical, Inc.

a Delaware corporation having a place of business at 1266 KIFER RD, BLDG
101, SUNNYVALE, CALIFORNIA 94086 and its successors and assigns, the
entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in MY/OUR invention, for
which I/WE have executed the above mentioned United States patent
application, and all patent applications and patents of every country for said
invention, including divisions, reissues, continuations, and extensions thereof,
and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said applications; I/WE
authorize the above-named assignee to apply for patents of foreign countries for
said invention, and to claim all rights of priority without further authorization from
me; I/WE agree to execute all papers useful in connection with said United
States and foreign applications, and generally to do everything possible to aid

said assignee, their successors, assigns, and nominees, at their request and expense, in obtaining and enforcing patents for said invention in all countries; and I/we request that the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents granted for said invention to the above-named assignee, its successors, and assigns. I hereby authorize and request my attorney to insert here in parentheses (___/___,___; _____) the application number and filing date of said application when known.

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