

**PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

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**ASSIGNMENT**

*Serial No.: 11/935,064*

*Filed: November 5, 2007*

***WHEREAS,** Kelly D. Christensen, residing at 1188 North Deerfield Drive, Centerville, Utah 84014; Paul R. Johnson, residing at 380 East 650 South, Kaysville, Utah 84037; Weston F. Harding, residing at 2421 North 910 West, Lehi, Utah 84043; Troy A. Ekberg, residing at 734 Sweet Meadow Lane, Sandy, Utah 84070; Greg L. Brimhall, residing at 3838 Valley West Drive, West Jordan, Utah 84088; and Tom M. Miner, residing at 647 North Hillside Circle, Alpine, Utah 84004, all citizens of the United States of America (hereinafter called "Assignor"), have made certain new and useful inventions or discoveries relating to:*

**VASCULAR ACCESS DEVICE HOUSING VENTING**

*for which he has executed a Declaration for an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America; and*

***WHEREAS,** BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, a corporation of New Jersey, (hereinafter called "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest therein.*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN** that for and in consideration of the premises and in acknowledgment, confirmation and performance of obligations which arose out of the terms and conditions of Assignors' employment by Assignee at the time the invention was made, and other valuable considerations to him, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned, and transferred, and does hereby assign, and transfer unto said Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in and to all said inventions and discoveries disclosed in said application, whose identification above by serial number and filing date, when available, is hereby authorized, and in and to said application, all substitutions, divisions, provisionals, conversions of provisionals and continuations or continuations-in-part, thereof, and in and to all Letters Patents, United States and foreign, that may be granted for said inventions and discoveries, and in and to all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this Assignment and sale had not been made; and*

*Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue said Letters Patent in accordance with this Agreement; and*

*For the consideration aforesaid, Assignor covenants and agrees with said Assignee that he has a full and unencumbered title to the inventions and discoveries above described and hereby assigned, which title he warrants unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns; and*

*For the consideration aforesaid, Assignor further covenants and agrees that he will, whenever requested, but without cost to him promptly communicate to said Assignee or its representatives any facts known to him relating to said inventions and discoveries, testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said inventions and discoveries, and execute any additional papers that may be necessary to enable said Assignee or its representatives, successors, nominees, or assigns to secure full and complete protection of the inventions and discoveries or that may be necessary to vest in Assignee the complete title to the inventions and discoveries and patents hereby conveyed and to enable it to record title.*

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hands and seals on the dates subscribed below.

Kelly D. Christensen  
Kelly D. Christensen

DATE: 01/15/08

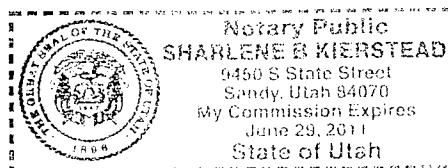
STATE OF Utah )

SS:

COUNTY OF Salt Lake )

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 15<sup>TH</sup> day of January, <sup>2008</sup> ~~2007~~, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Kelly D. Christensen, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, I and having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Sharlene B. Kierstead  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires: 6-29-2011



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hands and seals on the dates subscribed below.

Paul R. Johnson  
Paul R. Johnson

DATE: 1/15/2008

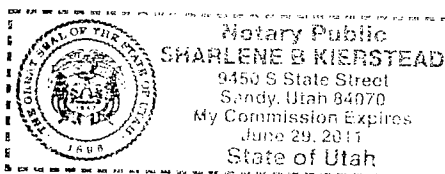
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*BE IT REMEMBERED*, that on this 15<sup>TH</sup> day of January, <sup>1-15-08</sup>~~2007~~, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Paul R. Johnson, who I am satisfied ~~is~~ <sup>is</sup> the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, I and having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Sharlene B. Kierstead  
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My Commission Expires: 6-29-2011



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hands and seals on the dates subscribed below.

Weston F. Harding  
Weston F. Harding

DATE: 01-15-08

STATE OF Utah

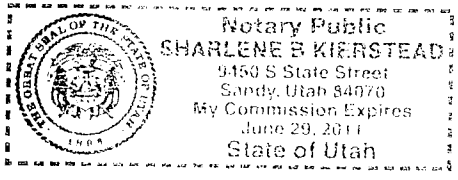
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hands and seals on the dates subscribed below.

Troy Ekberg  
Troy A. Ekberg

DATE: January 15, 2008

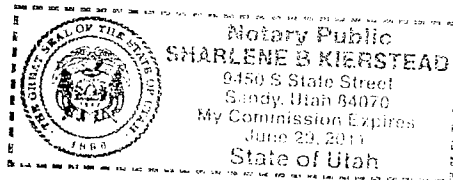
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**BE IT REMEMBERED**, that on this 15<sup>TH</sup> day of January, <sup>15-08</sup>~~2007~~, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Troy A. Ekberg, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, I and having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Sharlene B. Kierstead  
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*IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hands and seals on the dates subscribed below.*

  
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Greg L. Brimhall

DATE: 4-25-08

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_)

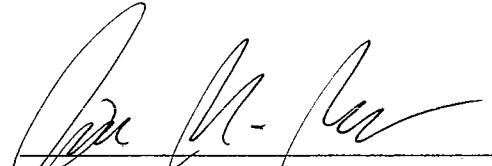
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**BE IT REMEMBERED**, that on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Greg L. Brimhall, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, I and having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

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Notary Public  
My Commission Expires:

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hands and seals on the dates subscribed below.

  
Tom M. Miner

DATE: April 23, 2008

STATE OF Utah )

SS:

COUNTY OF Salt Lake )

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Tom M. Miner, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, I and having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires: 6-29-2011

