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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, Astra Tech AB, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Sweden, having an office at Box 14, SE-431 21 Mölndal, Sweden, is the owner by previous assignment, dated November 5, 2003, of the entire undivided right, title and interest of Jan Eirik ELLINGSEN and Staale Petter LYGSTADAAS, in and to an invention for new and useful improvements in or relating to MEDICAL PROSTHETIC DEVICES AND IMPLANTS HAVING IMPROVED BIOCOMPATIBILITY for which an application for Letters Patent in the United States was executed on August 18, 2003, and assigned Application Number 10/410,660, and are the owners of an undivided right, title and interest in and to said application by said previous assignment;

WHEREAS, NUMAT AS, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Norway, having an office at Postboks 54, N-1309 Rud, Norway, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the said application and the invention therein described and claimed and any Letters Patent that may be issued upon said application or for the improvements therein contained;

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) lawful money of the United States and other valuable considerations, to me in hand paid, the receipt of and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, the said Astra Tech AB, has sold, assigned and transferred and does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said NUMAT AS, its successors and assigns, its entire undivided right, title and interest in and to the said application and the invention therein contained, including all rights of action and damages for past infringement, and including the right to apply for any Letters Patent in the United States of America and in all foreign countries on said invention and including the right to claim the priority of the date of filing in the United States and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon, or therefor, in the United States and foreign countries and all reissues, extensions, renewals, divisions and continuations thereof, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent may be issued, to be held and enjoyed by the said NUMAT AS, its successors and assigns

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the same as it would have been held and enjoyed by Astra Tech AB, if this assignment and sale had not been made.

AND, Astra Tech AB, hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all such Letters Patents to the said NUMAT AS, in accordance with this instrument of assignment.

Astra Tech AB, hereby represents and warrants that there are no rights or interests outstanding inconsistent with the rights and interests granted herein and that Astra Tech AB, will not execute any instrument or grant or transfer any rights or interests inconsistent therewith, and Astra Tech AB, binds itself and its heirs, executors, administrators, employees and legal representatives, as the case may be, to execute and deliver to the said NUMAT AS, its successors and assigns, any further documents or instruments and do any and all further acts that may be deemed necessary by the said NUMAT AS, its successors and assigns to file applications for the said improvements and invention in any country where it may elect to file such applications, and that may be necessary to vest in the said NUMAT AS, its successors and assigns, the title herein conveyed, or intended so to be, and to enable such title to be recorded in the United States and foreign countries where such application or applications may be filed.


AND, Astra Tech AB, further covenants and agrees, in consideration of the premises, that it, its executors and administrators will, at any time upon request, communicate to the said NUMAT AS, its successors and assigns, any facts relating to the said invention and improvements and the history thereof, known to it or its successors and assigns, and that it will testify as to the same in any interference or other proceeding when requested to do so by the said NUMAT AS, its successors and assigns.

The undersigned hereby grants the law firm of Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification that may be necessary or desirable

in order to comply with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Astra Tech AB, has hereunto set its seal this 28 day of April, 2008

Astra Tech AB,

  
Signature

PETER SELLEY  
Printed Name

CEO  
Title