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ASSIGNMENT

We, FRED P. LAMPROPOULOS, of 5497 Walker Estates Circle, Salt Lake City, UT 84117, Dr. TIMOTHY W. CLARK of 8516 Parkwood Lane, Philadelphia, PA 19128, and GREGORY R. McARTHUR of 8990 Shady Meadow Drive, Sandy, UT 84093, have invented the inventions described in a United States Application Serial No. 12/106,204, entitled SUTURE SECUREMENT APPARATUS, filed on April 18, 2008, in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. (This application claims priority to Provisional Application Serial No. 61/036,903, filed March 14, 2008. This application further claims the benefit of and is a continuation-in-part of pending U.S. patent Application No. 11/224,168, filed October 6, 2005 in the name of Dr. Timothy W. Clark, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/307,042, filed July 20, 2001.

The Assignee, Merit Medical Systems, Inc., 1600 West Merit Parkway, South Jordan, Utah 84095, desires to secure the entire right, title and interest therein.

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we HEREBY ASSIGN TO THE ASSIGNEE:

The entire right, title and interest in said inventions in the above-identified United States patent application and in all divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application, or reissues or extensions of Letters Patent or Patents granted thereon, and in all corresponding applications filed in countries foreign to the United States, and in all patents issuing thereon in the United States and Foreign countries.

The right to file foreign patent applications on said invention in its own name, wherever such right may be legally exercised, including the right to claim the benefits of the International Convention for such applications.

We hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and such Patent Office officials in foreign countries as are duly authorized by their patent laws to issue patents, to issue any and all patents on said invention to the Assignee as the owner of the entire interest, for the sole use and benefit of the said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

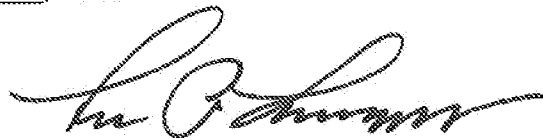
We hereby agree, without further consideration and without expense to us, to sign all lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts which the Assignee may request of us to make this Assignment fully effective, including, by way of example but not of limitation, the following:

Prompt execution of all original, divisional, substitute, reissue, and other United States and foreign patent applications on said invention, and all lawful documents requested by the Assignee to further the prosecution of any of such patent applications.

Cooperation to the best of our ability in the execution of all lawful documents, the production of evidence, nullification, reissue, extension, or infringement proceedings involving said invention.

This assignment and agreement shall be binding upon our heirs and legal representatives.

DATED this 4 day of June, 2008.



FRED P. LAMPROPOULOS
5497 Walker Estates Circle
Salt Lake City, Utah 84117

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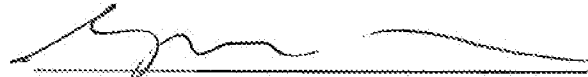
DATED this 10th day of June, 2008.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Timothy W. Clark", written over a horizontal line.

DR. TIMOTHY W. CLARK
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This assignment and agreement shall be binding upon our heirs and legal representatives.

DATED this 6 day of June, 2008.



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