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WE, Thomas GAMACHE; Michael VARIEUR; and Kenneth CONNELL, of Fall-River, Massachusetts; Portsmouth, Rhode Island; and Rumford, Rhode Island, respectively, in consideration of One Dollar and other valuable consideration paid to us by

DePuy Spine, Inc.

a Corporation of Ohio, having its principal place of business at 325 Paramount Drive, Raynham, Massachusetts 02767-0350, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said

DePuy Spine, Inc.

its successors and assigns, the entire interest for the United States of America and all foreign countries including all rights of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property in a certain invention or improvement in

ADJUSTABLE IMPLANT ASSEMBLY

described in an application
Executed by us of even date herewith and about to be filed
or
x Application No. 12/140,412, filed on June 17, 2008

in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and in all Letters Patent of the United States and all foreign countries which may or shall be granted on said invention, or any parts thereof, or on said application, or any divisional, continuing, reissue or other applications based in whole or in part thereon. And we agree, for ourselves and our executors and administrators, with said Corporation and its successors and assigns but at its or their expense and charges, hereafter to execute all applications, amended specifications, deed or other instrument, and to do all acts necessary or proper to secure the grant of Letters Patent in the United States and in all other countries to said corporation, with specifications and claims in such form as shall be approved by the counsel of said Corporation and to vest and confirm in said corporation, its successors and assigns, the legal title to all such patents.

And we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue such Letters Patent as shall be granted upon said application or applications based thereon to said corporation, its successors and assigns.

And we do further hereby grant the attorneys/agents of Lahive & Cockfield, LLP, the power to insert on this Assignment the filing date and/or application number of said application.

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Thomas Gamache

United States of America

State of Massachusetts) ss.:

County of Bristol

On this day of August, Joe 8 before me, the the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Thomas Camachus (name of document signer), proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which was who was personally known, to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document in my presence.

My commission expires 1-21-2011

AMY PELLETIER

Notary Public

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

My Commission Expires January 21, 2011

August 4, 2008 United States of America)
State of Massachus etts) ss.:
County of Brustel) On this day of August, 2008 before me, the the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Michael Vaines (name of document signer), proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which was which was the preceding or attached document in my presence. _____(official signature and seal of notary)

My commission expires

AMY PELLETIER Notary Public
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Kenneth Connell
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United States of America)
State of Massachusetts) ss.:
County of Bristol)
On this 30 day of July , 2008 before me, the the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Kenneth Connell
(name of document signer), proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification,
which was who is personally Known, to be the person whose name
is signed on the preceding or attached document in my presence.
(official signature and seal of notary)
My commission expires 1-21-2011

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