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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

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hereby sell, assign and transfer to

ASSIGNEE

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and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions, and countries foreign thereto, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled "SURGICAL CLAMPING DEVICE", and which is found in U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 12/016,628 filed January 18, 2008, or any continuation, divisional, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue or re-examination thereof, including the right to claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §119, and I request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in the application to the ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns; and we will execute without further consideration all papers deemed necessary by the ASSIGNEE in connection with the United States application when called upon to do so by the Assignee;

ASSIGNOR hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been made or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this Assignment;

ASSIGNOR further covenant that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and

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documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue or enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

Date:

Uwe DECKER // Managing Director,

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