# PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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### **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, Donald R. BUETHORN, (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), having a post office address of 1360 Sunset Avenue, Ferndale, Washington, 98248, United States of America, am the sole inventor:

- Provisional U.S. Patent Application No. 60/537,040, filed January 16, 2004, entitled, FLEXIBLE FOOT SUPPORT DEVICE METHOD AND APPARATUS;
- 2. Provisional U.S. Patent Application No. 60/552,491, filed March 12, 2004, entitled, SUBMALLEOLAR FOOT ORTHOTIC METHOD AND APPARATUS;
- 3. Provisional U.S. Patent Application No. 60/628,087, filed November 15, 2004, entitled. FOOT ORTHOSIS CALF AND ANKLE SUPPORT; and
- 4. U.S. Utility Patent Application No. 11/038,678, filed January 18, 2005, entitled, FOOT ORTHOSIS SUPPORT DEVICE METHOD AND APPARATUS.

WHEREAS, CASCADE DAFO, INC. (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of Washington, having a place of business at 1360 Sunset Avenue, Ferndale, Washington, 98248, United States of America, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to

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ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor. I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Donald R. BUETHORN is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument. PATRICK L. WATTS Signature of NOTARY PUBLIC **Notary Public** STATE OF WASHINGTON COMMISSION EXPIRES Printed Name SEPTEMBER 19, 2008 My appointment expires William R. WEYMER, President & CEO CASCADE DAFO, INC. COUNTY OF I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that William R. WEYMER is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this instrument, on oath stated that he was authorized to execute the instrument, and acknowledged it as the President & CEO of CASCADE DAFO, INC. (ASSIGNEE), to be the free and voluntary act of said corporation for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument. PATRICK L. WATTS Signature of NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WASHINGTON Printed Name PATRIC COMMISSION EXPIRES SEPTEMBER 19, 2008 My appointment expires

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