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**CONFIRMATION OF ASSIGNMENT**

I, the below-named Assignor do hereby confirm that I have assigned and do hereby assign for good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, to ZIMMER, INC., a Delaware corporation, having an office at P.O. Box 708, 345 East Main Street, Warsaw, Indiana 46580 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest in the United States of America, its territories and possessions and in all countries other than the United States of America in and to any and all of the patents and patent applications listed on Schedule A attached hereto and to any and all patents that issue on the aforesaid patent applications, and in and to any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations, extensions and renewals of any patents and patent applications listed on Schedule A and the invention and discoveries described and/or claimed in such patents and patent applications, the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, to the full ends of the terms for which all patents therefore may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held, and enjoyed by me if this assignment had not been made.

I hereby further confirm my assignment and do hereby assign and transfer to the Assignee on the same terms and conditions as aforesaid all of my right, title and interest in and to the patents and patent applications listed on Schedule A and the inventions and discoveries described therein in all countries other than the country in which each patent application listed on Schedule A has been filed and in which each patent listed on Schedule A has issued and with effect for all multi-national organizations for the protection of intellectual property. This full assignment and transfer includes, but is not limited to, the assignment and transfer of the right to file an application for a patent or any other protective right in the Assignee's name, and the right to claim priority to patents and patent applications listed on Schedule A under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or under any other bilateral or multilateral agreement to which the United States of America is now or hereafter becomes a signatory, or any other legal provision which allows claiming the priority of the assigned application.

  
STEVEN F. SCHUTZER, M.D.  
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**Schedule A**

Country	Application Number	Publication Number	Patent Number	Filing Date	Publication Date	Issue Date	Title
United States of America	07/764342		5201769	23-Sep-1991		13-Apr-1993	HIP STEM WITH PROXIMAL BUILD-UP BLOCKS
Canada	2078072	2078072	2078072	11-Sep-1992	24-Mar-1993	09-Dec-2003	HIP STEM WITH PROXIMAL BUILD-UP BLOCKS