# PATENT ASSIGNMENT

# Electronic Version v1.1 Stylesheet Version v1.1

SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	ASSIGNMENT

# **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Execution Date
Carlos E. Gil	10/30/2009
Aleksandr G. Zolotov	10/30/2009
Jason M May	10/30/2009

# **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	Warsaw Orthopedic, Inc.	
Street Address:	2500 Silveus Crossing	
City:	Warsaw	
State/Country:	INDIANA	
Postal Code:	46581	

#### PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number
Application Number:	12609453

# **CORRESPONDENCE DATA**

Fax Number: (901)399-3040

Correspondence will be sent via US Mail when the fax attempt is unsuccessful.

Phone: 901 344-2422

Email: memipdocketing@medtronic.com

David A. Warmbold Correspondent Name: Address Line 1: 2600 Sofamor Danek Drive

Memphis, TENNESSEE 38132 Address Line 4:

P0035096.00 ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER: NAME OF SUBMITTER: Gilberto Hernandez

Total Attachments: 4

source=ASSIGNMENT#page1.tif source=ASSIGNMENT#page2.tif

**PATENT** REEL: 023451 FRAME: 0919 source=ASSIGNMENT#page3.tif source=ASSIGNMENT#page4.tif

PATENT REEL: 023451 FRAME: 0920

#### ASSIGNMENT

### WHEREAS,

(1)	Carlos E. Gil	of the City of Collierville State of Tennessee, USA
(2)	Aleksandr G. Zolotv	of the City of Collierville State of Tennessee, USA
(3)	Jason M. May	of the City of Cordova State of Tennessee, USA

have invented certain improvements in

# APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR APPLYING SUSTAINED TENSION ON A TETHER

for which we have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America,		
	of even date herewith; and	
X	filed on October 30, 2009 and assigned application number 12609453; and	

WHEREAS, we hereby authorize and request the attorneys of Assignee, Warsaw Orthopedic, Inc., of 2500 Silveus Crossing, Warsaw, Indiana 46581, to insert the filing date and application number of the application when known; and

WHEREAS, Warsaw Orthopedic, Inc. (Assignee), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Indiana, having its principal office and place of business in the City of Warsaw, State of Indiana, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under the invention and the application in the United States of America and in any and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, for One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under the invention, and the application, and all divisional, renewal, substitutional, and continuing applications thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States of America which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may be filed for the invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States of America, and all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof, and all prior patents and patent applications for which a filing priority of the above-described patent application may be obtained, including the right to collect past damages; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States of America, whose duty is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for the invention to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

PATENT REEL: 023451 FRAME: 0921 AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting the invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, renewal, substitutional, continuing, and reissue applications, make all rightful declarations and/or oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce patent protection for the invention in all countries.

Inventor Name: Address:	Carlos E. Gil 1707 Povell Run Cove
Dated: Ct 27th 2009	Colliewille, Vennessee 38017
	Carlos/E. Gil
STATE OF <u>Jennesce</u> COUNTY OF <u>Shelby</u>	TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF Shelby	MY COMMISSION EXPIRE
On this the 27th day of Octo	2009 before me personally appeared
carros E. Gii, to the known (or proved to me on	the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person rument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as
WITNESS MY HAND and Seal at office	e this the 27th day of Cetolery, 2009.
Don	Li D. Greer
Notary F	Public

My Commission Expires:

June 19, 2013

2

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting the invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, renewal, substitutional, continuing, and reissue applications, make all rightful declarations and/or oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce patent protection for the invention in all countries.

Inventor Name:

Address:

Aleksandr G. Zolotov

995 Winleaf Drive

Collierville, Tennessee 38017

Dated: 10-28-2009

Aleksandr G. Zolotov

COUNTY OF Shelby

On this the day of October, 2009, before me personally appeared Aleksandr G. Zolotov, to me known (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

WITNESS MY HAND and Seal at office this the day of October, 2009.

My Commission Expires:

March 28, 2011

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting the invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, renewal, substitutional, continuing, and reissue applications, make all rightful declarations and/or oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce patent protection for the invention in all countries.

**Inventor Name:** Address:

Jason M. May

10307 Hamilton View Drive Cordova, Tennessee 38016

Dated: /0/30/ 2009

country of Shelby

On this the 30 day of 0000, 2009, before me personally appeared Jason M. May, to me known (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

WITNESS MY HAND and Seal at office this the 3 day of

My Commission Expires:

March 29, 2011



**RECORDED: 10/30/2009**