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A S S I G N M E N T

Application Serial No.: 12/055,805

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WHEREAS, Robert Sommerich residing at 5 Beach Street, Norton, Massachusetts and Glen Presbrey residing at 574 Victory Highway, Pascoag, Rhode Island and Katherine Herard residing at 36 Colonial Road, Harrisville, Rhode Island (hereinafter called "Assignors"), have made certain new and useful inventions or discoveries relating to

Instruments For Expandable Corpectomy Spinal Fusion Cage

for which they have on this day executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, DePuy Spine, Inc., a corporation of the State of Ohio, (hereinafter called "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring Assignors' entire right, title, and interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other valuable considerations to them moving, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have sold, assigned, and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee their entire right, title and interest in and to all said inventions and discoveries disclosed in said application whose identification above by serial number and filing date, when available is hereby authorized, and in and to said application, all substitutions, divisions, and continuations thereof, and in and to all Letters Patent, United States and foreign, that may be granted for said inventions and discoveries, and in and to all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors if this Assignment and sale had not been made;

And Assignors hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States to issue said Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment;

And for the consideration aforesaid, Assignors covenant and agree with said Assignee that he has a full and unencumbered title to the inventions and discoveries above described and hereby assigned, which title they warrant unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns;

And for the consideration aforesaid, Assignors further covenant and agree that they will, whenever requested, but without cost to them promptly communicate to said Assignee or its representatives any facts known to them relating to said inventions and discoveries, testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said inventions and discoveries, and execute any additional papers that may be necessary to enable said Assignee or its representatives, successors, nominees, or assigns to secure full and complete protection for the said inventions and discoveries or that may be necessary to vest in said Assignee the complete title to the said inventions and discoveries and patents hereby conveyed and to enable it to record said title.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 30 day of April, 2008.

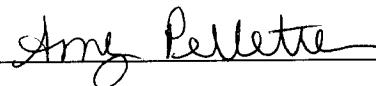
By: 
Robert Sommerich

NOTARIAL SEAL

State/Commonwealth of: Massachusetts

County of: Bristol

On this 30 day of April, 2008 before me, the undersigned notary public,
personally appeared Robert Sommerich, who is personally known to me to be the
person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he
signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose.

 (official signature and seal of Notary)

My Commissioner Expires: 1-21-2011



AMY PELLETIER
Notary Public
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
My Commission Expires January 21, 2011

WITNESS my hand and seal this 30 day of April, 2008.

By: Glen Presbrey
Glen Presbrey

NOTARIAL SEAL

State/Commonwealth of: Massachusetts

County of: Bristol

On this 30 day of April, 2008 before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Glen Presbrey, who is personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose.

Amy Pelletier (official signature and seal of Notary)

My Commissioner Expires: 1-21-2011



AMY PELLETIER
Notary Public
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
My Commission Expires January 21, 2011

WITNESS my hand and seal this 1st day of May, 2008.

By: Katherine Herard
Katherine Herard

NOTARIAL SEAL

State/Commonwealth of: Massachusetts

County of: Bristol

On this 1st day of May, 2008 before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Katherine Herard, who is personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose.

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