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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, ALBERT K. CHIN and JOHN P. LUSHFORD, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNORS", have invented certain new and useful improvements as described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: ENDOSCOPIC INFLATABLE RETRACTION DEVICE FOR SEPARATING TISSUE, AND METHOD OF USING

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WHEREAS, Origin Medsystems, Inc., a corporation of the State of California, 1021 Howard Avenue, San Carlos, CA 94070 hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the said invention and application and in any Letters Patent which may be granted on the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) lawful money paid to Assignors by Assignee, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, and Assignee's successors and assigns, all right, title and interest in and to the said invention, said application for United States Letters Patent, and any Letters Patent which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world including any divisions, renewals, continuations in whole or in part, substitutions, conversions, reissues, prolongations or extensions thereof, the said interest to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by said Assignors had this assignment and transfer not been made, to the full end and term of any Letters Patent.

Assignors further agree that they will, without charge to said Assignee, but at Assignee's expense, cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of said application and/or applications, execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all such further papers, including applications for Letters Patent and for the reissue thereof, and instruments of assignment and transfer thereof, and will perform such other acts as Assignee lawfully may request, to obtain or maintain Letters Patent for said invention and improvement in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in said Assignee, or Assignee's successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignors have hereunto signed their names to this assignment on the dates indicated below.

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ALBERT K. CHIN  
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA ) JUL 10 92  
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO ) ss.

On this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, in the year of 1992, before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared the above-named assignors, known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same.

*Makini K. Sivatu*  
Notary Public

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