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I, the below-named inventor or co-inventor (with the persons listed below) for good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do hereby assign 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 in and to any and all of my inventions and discoveries in, **METHODS AND APPARATUSES FOR ATTACHING TISSUE TO ORTHOPAEDIC IMPLANTS**, as described and claimed in my application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, having been filed on November 13, 2009, and assigned serial number 12/618,028; and in and to any and all patents that issue on the aforesaid patent application, and in and to any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations, extensions and renewals thereof, 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 us if this assignment had not been made.

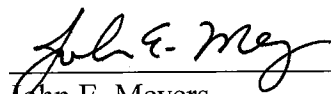
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I hereby further assign and transfer to the Assignee on the same terms and conditions as aforesaid all of my right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned application and the invention and discoveries described therein in all other countries other than the United States of America 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

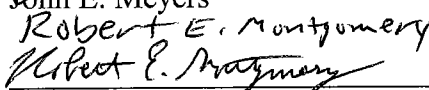
transfer of the right to file an application for a patent or any other protective right in the Assignee's name, and the right to claim priority to the above-identified U.S. application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or under any other bilateral or multilateral 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.

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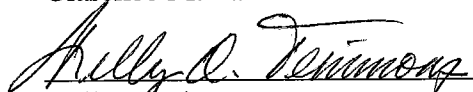
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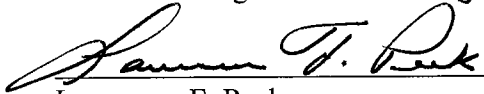
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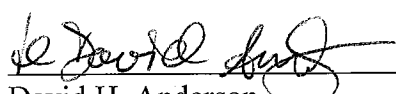
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