### PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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#### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Volker Niermann, residing at 1845 Woodland Terrace, Bound Brook, NJ 08805 (hereinafter called "Assignor"), has made certain new and useful inventions or discoveries relating to

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for which he has executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Cordis Corporation, a corporation of the State of Florida, (hereinafter called "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest therein;

THEREFORE,  $_{
m BE}$ ITKNOWN that for consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned, and transferred, and does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto said Assignee the 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 Assignor if this Assignment and sale had not been made;

And Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States to issue said Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment;

And for the consideration aforesaid, Assignor covenants and agrees with said Assignee that he has a full and unencumbered title to the inventions and discoveries above described and hereby assigned, which title he warrants unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns;

PATENT REEL: 024951 FRAME: 0554 And for the consideration aforesaid, Assignor further covenants and agrees that he will, whenever requested, but without cost to him promptly communicate to said Assignee or its representatives any facts known to him 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.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this second day of September. 2010.

Volker Niermann (L.S

STATE OF Now Jersey )

COUNTY OF Sommet )

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this second day of September, 2010, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Volker Niermann, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Notary Public

SALVATORE CALDARISE NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF NEW JERSEY MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 5/7/2014

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