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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Patrick Keith Heaton, a citizen of Great Britain, residing at 24 Mansfield Rd. Poole, Dorset, Great Britain, (hereinafter referred to as the "Assignor") am one of the original joint inventors of a certain new and useful invention entitled "WOUND TREATMENT APPARATUS EMPLOYING REDUCED PRESSURE" and its improvements, for which I have executed an application for Letters Patent in the United States Patent Office, application number 10/009,294 filed June 6, 2002; and

WHEREAS, KCI Licensing, Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, whose address is P.O. Box 659508, San Antonio, Texas 78265-9508 ("Assignee"), is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said improvements and the said applications;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said Assignor, have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and by these presents, do hereby sell, transfer, and set over, unto the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said improvements, and the said applications and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereinafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said inventions and improvements to the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

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

AND, I hereby further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said inventions and said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent and similar protection for said inventions and said improvement in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 26 day of September 2003.



Assignor, Patrick Keith Heaton

Witness: B I Whitbread

Name: BENJAMIN WHITBREAD

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WHEREAS, I, Kenneth William Hunt, a citizen of Great Britain, residing at 18 Egdon Drive, Merley, Wimborne, Dorset, Great Britain, (hereinafter referred to as the "Assignors") am one of the original joint inventors of a certain new and useful invention entitled "WOUND TREATMENT APPARATUS EMPLOYING REDUCED PRESSURE" and its improvements, for which I have executed an application for Letters Patent in the United States Patent Office, application number 10/009,294 filed June 6, 2002; and

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