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WHEREAS, We, Bernard O'Connor, of 56 Braidwood Road, Braidwood, 5th Lanarkshire ML8 5NY, United Kingdom, David John Wheatley, a resident of 13 Lochend Drive, Glasgow G61 1ED, Scotland, Gillian Maureen Bernacca, a resident of 4 Melrose Gardens, Glasgow G20 6RA, Scotland, and William Stafford Haworth, a resident of Broomlands House, 31 Main Street, Symington, Biggar ML12 611, Scotland, have invented certain new and useful improvements in HEART VALVE PROSTHESIS AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States has been made, said application being identified in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Serial Number 11/512,847 filed August 30, 2006; and

WHEREAS, AorTech Europe Limited ("Assignee"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United Kingdom, and having a business address at Phoenix Crescent, Strathclyde Business Park, Bellshill, Scotland ML4 3NJ, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent to be obtained therefore:

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration to me in hand paid by said Assignee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and the Letters Patent, both foreign and domestic, that may or shall issue, including any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to Letters Patent, any reissue or re-examination thereof, further including all of our entire rights under the International Convention, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to the above mentioned assignee in accordance herewith.

We hereby Authorize the above mentioned Assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to insert in this instrument the serial number and filing date of said United States application and/or otherwise take advantage of the provisions of the International Convention.

Upon Said Consideration, we do hereby covenant and agree with said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that we will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that we or our executors

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or administrators will at any time upon request, without further consideration, but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors or assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as said Assignee, its successors or assigns, may deem necessary or desirable to perfect said Assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, continuation, divisional, reissued, re-examined or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights occurring as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents.

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