### PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Benjamin P. Heilman, of the City of Warsaw and State of Indiana, ("Assignor") invented certain new and useful VARIABLE ANGLE LOCKING SCREW for which I filed a U.S. Utility Patent Application, Ser. No. 12/684,154 on January 8, 2010 (the "Application")

WHEREAS, Biomet Manufacturing Corporation ("Assignee"), a corporation of the State of Indiana, with a place of business at 56 E. Bell Drive, Warsaw, Indiana 46581, is desirous of acquiring Assignor's entire right, title and interest in and to said Application and the inventions therein disclosed, and any non-provisional U.S. and/or foreign patent applications, including International (PCT) applications, claiming the benefit thereof, and any letters patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said Application, and the inventions and designs therein disclosed, and any improvements thereon, and any patent or patents that may be issued or reissued on such domestic or foreign patent applications, including International (PCT) applications, and any divisions or continuations of such domestic or foreign patent applications, and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any patent resulting from such domestic patent applications and any continuations. divisions, and/or reissues thereof, to said Assignee, its successors and assigns; and Assignor hereby authorizes said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to file in its own name applications for patent in foreign countries in connection with the inventions and designs hereby transferred, under the International Convention claiming priority of said Application or otherwise, and to secure in its own name patent or patents issued thereon; and Assignor hereby agrees that, upon request, Assignor will sign all papers, and make all rightful oaths, and do all acts which said Assignee, its successors or assigns, may consider necessary in connection with said Application. and in connection with any other United States or foreign patent applications, including International (PCT) applications, that may be filed in connection with said inventions and designs, and with any improvements thereon, and in connection with any patents issued or reissued thereon.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 28 day of APRIL , 2011.

Benjamin P. Heilman

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On this <u>28</u> day of <u>APRIL</u>, 2011, before me, a Notary Public in and for the above County and State, personally appeared the above named Benjamin P. Heilman, personally known to me, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing assignment as a free act and deed for the purpose herein set forth.



Kimberly R. Goshorn
Notary Public J

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