# PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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# RECORDABLE CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT ("Assignment") is made this  $\widehat{\mathcal{L}}$  day of May, 2011 by Cook Incorporated, an Indiana corporation; (referred to as "Assignor").

WHEREAS Assignor entered into an Intellectual Property Contribution Agreement (the "Contribution Agreement"), dated January 1, 2011 between and among Assignor and Cook Medical Technologies LLC, an Indiana limited liability company ("Assignee"), pursuant to which Assignor previously assigned to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title, and interest in the U.S. patent application and all inventions described therein related to "METHOD OF MAKING A MELT-BONDED JOINT FOR JOINING SHEATHS USED IN MEDICAL DEVICES" and being described in U.S. Provisional Patent Application Nos. 60/673,199 filed on April 20, 2005 and 60/761,594 filed on January 23, 2006, and any and all applications claiming the benefit thereof including the right of priority, and described in U.S. Non-Provisional Application No. 11/408,279 filed on April 20, 2006, and/or PCT Application No. PCT/US2006/015149 filed on April 20, 2006 (collectively, the "Applications"). (We hereby consent to the patent attorney entering the serial numbers and filing dates when they become known.)

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 6.2 of the Contribution Agreement, Assignor agreed to execute this Assignment to confirm the assignment on January 1, 2011, for the purpose of recording Assignee's rights with the Patent and Trademark Office.

WHEREAS, to the extent that any of Assignor's right, title, and interest in the Applications was not transferred pursuant to the Contribution Agreement, Assignor desires to assign to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title, and interest in, to, or under the Applications, including all inventions described therein, and Assignee desires to accept such an assignment.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns, transfers, contributes, and sets over, and does hereby confirm the previous contribution, assignment, and transfer, unto the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, all of Assignor's right, title and interest in, to and under the Applications including all inventions described therein and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues, re-examinations and extensions thereof (including, without limitation, all proceeds thereof and the rights to sue for past, present and future infringements), and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said Applications (including the right to claim priority from said Applications, including all inventions described therein) in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said Applications in any country or countries foreign to the United States hereby authorized.

Signed for and on behalf of Cook Incorporated
This & day of May, 2011

Lem Hawkins, President

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State of Indiana )
County of Monroe ) ss:
On this Atlanta day of May, 2011, before me personally came Kem Hawkins, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.  Notary Public
My Commission Expires: June 27, 2014
Signed for and on behalf of COOK MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES LLC This Tay of May, 2011  John R. Kamstra, Secretary, Treasurer
State of Indiana ) ) ss:
County of Monroe )
On this 10 day of May 2011, before me personally came John R. Kamstra, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.  Notary Public  My Commission Expires:
Connie Johnson Notary Public Seal County of Monroe My Comm. Exp. 6/4/17 State of Indiana

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