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Name:	Biomet Sports Medicine, LLC
Street Address:	56 E. Bell Drive
City:	Warsaw
State/Country:	INDIANA
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PATENT REEL: 026293 FRAME: 0660 **ASSIGNMENT BY INVENTORS** 

THIS ASSIGNMENT is made by Brian K. Berelsman, residing at 283 E.

Wildwood Drive, Warsaw, Indiana 46580; Nathanael K. Connor, residing at 15810

Grand Willow Blvd., Huntertown, Indiana 46748; Gregory J. Denham, residing at 1905

Sanddollar Drive, Apt. A, Warsaw, Indiana 46582; and Kevin T. Stone, residing at 2615

Harmony Ct, Winona Lake, Indiana 46590 (hereinafter referred to as Assignors),

respectively;

WHEREAS, Assignors have invented certain new and useful improvements in

Method and Apparatus for Fixation of an ACL Graft, set forth in a Patent application for

Letters Patent of the United States, executed on even date preparatory to filing (each

inventor should sign this Assignment on the same day as he/she signs the Declaration);

and

WHEREAS, Biomet Sports Medicine, LLC, a Corporation organized under and

pursuant to the laws of Indiana having its principal place of business at 56 E. Bell Drive,

Warsaw, Indiana 46582 (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the

entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said Application for Letters

Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States to be

obtained therefore and thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which

is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by

these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal

representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-

mentioned inventions and application for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all direct

and indirect divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application, and any

and all Letters Patent in the United States and all foreign countries which may be granted

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therefore and thereon, and reissues, reexaminations and extensions of said Letters

Patent, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial

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Property, including the right to recover for past infringements, the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and benefit and the use and benefit of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent may be granted and/or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors, had this sale and assignment not been made.

AND for the same consideration, Assignors hereby represent and warrant to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, except for any rights, titles and/or interests that have arisen to Assignee under law or that have already been transferred to Assignee, Assignors are the sole and lawful owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions and application for Letters Patent above-mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered and that Assignors have good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

AND for the same consideration, Assignors hereby covenant to and agree with Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that Assignors will sign all papers and documents, make all lawful declarations and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of any Letters Patent and applications for Letters Patent for said inventions, without charge to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns except for reimbursement of reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred by Assignors, whenever counsel of Assignee, or counsel of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, shall advise: that any proceeding in connection with said inventions, or said Patent application for Letters Patent, or any proceeding in connection with any Letters Patent or applications for Letters Patent for said inventions in any country, including but not limited to interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable; or, that any divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part of any application for Letters Patent, or any reissue, reexamination or extension of any Letters Patent, to be obtained thereon, is lawful and desirable.

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AND Assignors hereby request the Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of the United States to Assignee, as Assignee of said inventions and the Letters Patent to be issued thereon, for the sole use and benefit of Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

AND Assignors hereby grant the following individuals the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document:

HARNESS, DICKEY & PIERCE, P.L.C.

All practitioners at Customer Number 94507

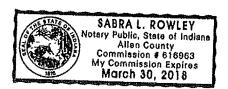
AND Assignors acknowledge an obligation of assignment of this invention to Assignee at the time the invention was made.

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