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| 5. Name and address to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: <u>Brian D. Gildea</u> Internal Address: _____ _____ Street Address: <u>53 Bay State Road</u> _____ City: <u>Boston</u> State: <u>Massachusetts</u> Zip: <u>02215</u> Phone Number: <u>617-353-8996</u> Fax Number: <u>617-358-6207</u> Email Address: <u>gildea@bu.edu</u> | 6. Total number of applications and patents Involved: <u>2</u> 7. Total fee (37 CFR 1.21(h) & 3.41) \$ <u>80.00</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input type="checkbox"/> None required (government interest not affecting title) 8. Payment Information Deposit Account Number <u>02-3255</u> Authorized User Name <u>Brian D. Gildea</u> |
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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

This is an Assignment between Howmedica Osteonics Corp. a corporation of the State of New Jersey, located and doing business at 325 Corporate Drive, Mahwah, New Jersey 07430, USA (the "Assignor"), which holds an undivided partial right, title, and interest in U.S. Patent No. 7,349,739 and the entire right, title, and interest in U.S. App. No. 11/927,597 (collectively "the '739 Family"), and Trustees of Boston University, a Massachusetts non-profit corporation located and doing business at One Silber Way, One Sherborn Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02215, USA (the "Assignee"), which desires to secure the entire right, title and interest in the '739 Family;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged,

ASSIGNOR HEREBY ASSIGNS TO THE ASSIGNEE:

The entire right, title and interest in and to the '739 Family, to have and to hold the same, unto Assignee for its own use and enjoyment and for the use and enjoyment of its successors and assigns, for the full term or terms of all such rights, including the right to sue for and collect past damages. The assignment of the '739 Family shall include the entire right, title and interest in and to the '739 Family held by Assignor for the United States of America, including all original provisional or utility, design, divisional, continuation, substitute, reissue, extensions of patents granted thereon. This assignment also provides for a license back to Assignor in accordance with an underlying agreement between Assignee and Assignor.

The right to file patent applications under the laws of the United States that claim the benefit to the '739 Family, and to file foreign patent applications on said inventions in its own name, wherever such right may be legally exercised, including the right to claim the benefits of the International Convention for such applications.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused this Patent Assignment to be duly signed on its behalf.

Howmedica Osteonics Corp., Assignor



Name: AL ZARNOWSKI

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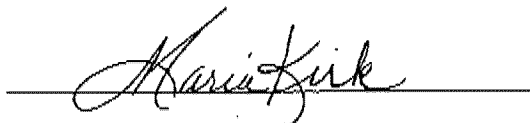
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The person whose name is subscribed to the accompanying instrument is personally known to me or has proved his/her identity to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence. On September 28, 2011, he/she appeared before me and acknowledged that he/she has read the accompanying instrument and knows the contents thereof, and that he/she executed the same as their free act and deed for the purposes set forth therein. If he/she is acting on behalf of an entity, he/she also acknowledged that he/she executed the accompanying instrument in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument, the entity executed the same.



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