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## ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, We, Drew B. Schembre, residing at 1100 Ninth Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98111, U.S.A., and Kevin Chmura, residing at 1440 Chesterfield Road, Lewisville, North Carolina 27023, U.S.A.,

hereby assert that the rights to the invention or inventions below mentioned vest in **Wilson-Cook Medical Inc.**, a North Carolina Corporation having offices at 4900 Bethania Station Road, Winston-Salem, NC 27105, U.S.A., by virtue of employment or assignment, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to **Wilson-Cook Medical Inc.** and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, hereinafter collectively "WC" the entire right, title and interest in the said invention or inventions, and

For value received, I, Michael S. Clancy, residing at 31 Oakfield, Monaleen, Limerick, Ireland,

hereby assert that the rights to the invention or inventions below mentioned vest in **Cook Ireland Limited**, an Ireland corporation having an office at O'Halloran Road, National Technological Park, Limerick, Ireland, by virtue of employment, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to **Cook Ireland Limited** and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, hereinafter collectively "CIL" the entire right, title and interest in the said invention or inventions, and

**Wilson-Cook Medical Inc.** and **Cook Ireland Limited**, hereby sell, assign and transfer to **Cook Medical Technologies LLC**, a limited liability company of the State of Indiana, having an office at 750 N. Daniels Way, Bloomington, IN, 47404, U.S.A., and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, hereinafter collectively "CMT," the entire right, title and interest in said invention or inventions, said rights being in the United States of America and all other countries and states of the world and being to the invention or inventions related to "ENDOSCOPIC ULTRASOUND-GUIDED BIOPSY NEEDLE" and being described in U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 61/321,243, filed on April 6, 2010, and any and all applications claiming the benefit thereof including the right of priority, and described in U.S. Application Serial No. 29/388,901, filed on April 4, 2011, (I hereby consent to the patent attorney entering the serial number when it becomes known), and all the rights and privileges in said application and under any and all Letters Patent or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof,

and any reissue or re-examination thereof that may be granted in the United States and in any country or state of the world for said inventions. We sell, assign, and transfer this right, title and interest as of the day of signature or of filing of the U.S. patent application mentioned above, whichever is the earlier.

We authorize CMT to make application for such protection in their own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right CMT to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to CMT in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as CMT may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to CMT, either jointly or individually, but at their expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

Date: 2/4/11

  
Drew B. Schembre, Inventor

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Michael S. Clancy, Inventor

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Witness

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Drew B. Schembre, Inventor

Date: 26<sup>th</sup> Jan 2011

Michael S. Clancy  
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Aileen Foster  
Witness

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Drew B. Schembre, Inventor

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date: February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011

  
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Kevin Chmura, Inventor

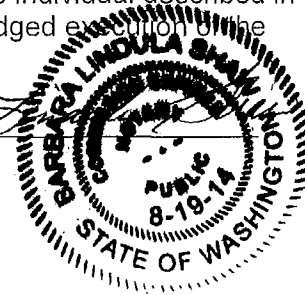
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United States of America )  
 ) ss:  
 County of King )

On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February 2011, before me personally came Drew B. Schembre, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Barbara Lindula Skervin  
 Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 8/19/14



United States of America )  
 ) ss:  
 County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2011, before me personally came Kevin Chmurra, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

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 Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Signed for and on behalf of  
 WILSON-COOK MEDICAL INC.  
 This \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2011

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 Gregory J. Skervin, Vice-President  
 Clinical and Business Development

United States of America     )  
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 County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

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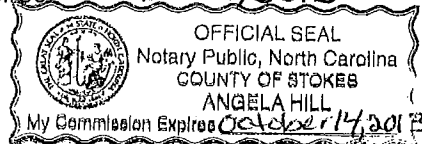
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United States of America     )  
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On this 3 day of February 2011, before me personally came Kevin Chmura, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Angela Hill  
 Notary Public

My Commission Expires: October 14, 2013




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 WILSON-COOK MEDICAL INC.  
 This 3 day of Feb, 2011

Gregory J. Skerven  
 Gregory J. Skerven, Vice-President  
 Clinical and Business Development

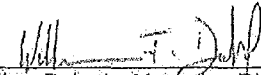
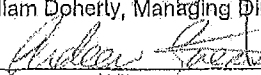


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 Notary Public, North Carolina  
 COUNTY OF STOKES  
 ANGELA HILL  
 My Commission Expires October 14, 2013  
 Notary Public

Signed for and on behalf of  
 COOK IRELAND LIMITED  
 This 17 day of FEBRUARY, 2011

  
 William Doherty, Managing Director  
  
 Witness

Signed for and on behalf of  
 COOK MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES LLC  
 This \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2011

John R. Kamstra, Secretary, Treasurer

United States of America )  
 ) ss:  
 County of Monroe )

On this, \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 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.

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United States of America )  
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 County of Forsyth )

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 ANGELA HILL  
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Angela Hill  
 Notary Public

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 COOK IRELAND LIMITED  
 This \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2011

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 William Doherty, Managing Director

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 Witness

Signed for and on behalf of  
 COOK MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES LLC  
 This 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 2011

John R. Kamstra  
 John R. Kamstra, Secretary, Treasurer

United States of America )  
 ) ss:  
 County of Monroe )

On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 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.

Connie Johnson  
 Notary Public

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