

## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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Property Type	Number
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**RECORDABLE CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT**

THIS CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT ("Confirmatory Assignment") is made pursuant to the Intellectual Property Contribution Agreement dated January 1, 2011 ("Contribution Agreement") between Medical Engineering and Development Institute, Inc. and Cook Medical Technologies LLC, an Indiana limited liability company having an office at 750 N. Daniels Way, Bloomington, IN 47404, U.S.A. ("Assignee").

WHEREAS, prior to the Contribution Agreement, Medical Engineering and Development Institute, Inc. D/B/A MED Institute, Inc. ("Assignor") possessed a registered right, title, and interest in and to the U.S. patent application and all inventions described therein related to "SIDE BRANCH STENT GRAFT" and being described in U.S. Nonprovisional Application No. 12/912,175, filed on October 26, 2010, under the officially-registered trading name of MED INSTITUTE, INC. as evidenced by the documents in Schedule A attached hereto.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 2.1(c) and 6.2 of the Contribution Agreement, Assignor agreed to execute this Confirmatory Assignment to confirm the assignment of the Applications on January 1, 2011, for the purpose of recording Assignee's rights with any appropriate patent authority in any country throughout the world, including the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

WHEREAS, the assignment effected by the Contribution Agreement included the Applications and all divisionals, renewals, continuations, reissues, re-examinations, and extensions thereof, and all foreign equivalents thereof, including all Letters Patent and applications for Letters Patent claiming priority from such U.S. patents, divisional, renewals, or continuations in any country (including, without limitation, the right to claim priority from any related application and the right to sue for past, present and future infringements in the United States and in all foreign countries).

WHEREAS, to the extent that the Contribution Agreement did not assign to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in the Applications, Assignor desires to assign such right, title and interest to Assignee, 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 confirms its prior contribution, assignment and transfer to the Assignee of all of Assignor's right, title and interest in the Applications, or otherwise assigns, transfers, and contributes to the Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in the Applications, including all inventions described therein.

The Assignor also hereby requests the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and the relevant patent authority in any other country throughout the world to record this Assignment to the Assignee. The Assignor hereby further authorizes and requests the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and any relevant patent authority in any other country throughout the world to issue any and all patent registrations resulting from the Applications assigned hereunder to Assignee, or its successors and assigns, as Assignee of the Assignor's entire interest herein.

Signed for and on behalf of  
 Medical Engineering and Development Institute, Inc. in its name of  
 MED Institute, Inc.  
 This 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012

Matthew S. Waninger  
 Matthew S. Waninger, President

State of Indiana )  
 ) ss:  
 County of Tippecanoe )

On this 7 day of March, 2012, before me personally came  
Matthew S. Waninger, to me known to be the individual described in and who  
 executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

[Signature]  
 Notary Public Myra E. Bube

My Commission Expires: July 29, 2018

Signed for and on behalf of  
 COOK MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES LLC  
 This 8 day of March, 2012

[Signature]  
 John R. Kamstra, Secretary, Treasurer

State of Indiana )  
 ) ss:  
 County of Monroe )

On this 8 day of March, 2012, 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.

[Signature]  
 Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 6-4-17

Connie Johnson  
 Notary Public  
 Seal  
 County of Monroe  
 My Comm. Exp. 6/4/17  
 State of Indiana

SCHEDULE A

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STATE OF INDIANA  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
CERTIFICATE OF ASSUMED NAME

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To Whom These Presents Come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, there has been presented to me at this office by

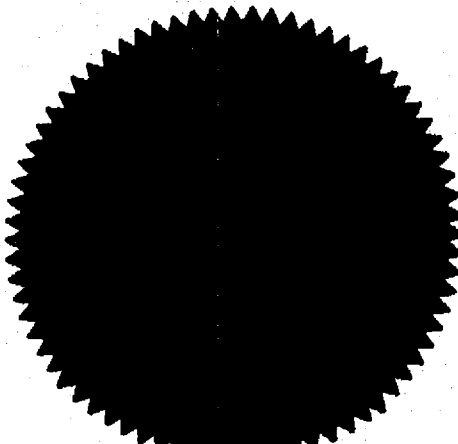
MEDICAL ENGINEERING AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE, INC.

an Indiana corporation, a certificate that said corporation is doing business under the assumed business name(s) of:

MED INSTITUTE, INC.

said certificate having been prepared and signed in accordance with the requirements of Indiana law, and having been filed with the Office of the Recorder of Tipton County;

WHEREAS, upon due examination, I find that the same conforms to law; NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWIN J. SIMCOX, hereby certify that I have this day endorsed my approval on such certificate of assumed business name, and having received the fees required by law, have filed such certificate in this office bearing the endorsement of my approval of said assumed business name.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand  
and affixed the seal of the State of Indiana, at the  
City of Indianapolis, this ... 2nd ... day of  
..... December ....., 19... 83 .....

.....  
EDWIN J. SIMCOX Secretary of State

By .....  
Deputy

APPROVED  
AND  
FILED  
DEC 02 1983  
SECRETARY OF STATE OF INDIANA

CERTIFICATE OF CORPORATION ENGAGED IN BUSINESS  
UNDER A NAME OTHER THAN ITS OWN NAME

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THE NAME ASSUMED BY THE CORPORATION MED Institute, Inc.

LEGAL NAME OF CORPORATION Medical Engineering and  
Development Institute, Inc.

ADDRESS OF CORPORATION P. O. Box 2402  
1220 Potter Drive, West Lafayette, Indiana

KIND OF BUSINESS Manufacture and design of medical products

PLACE OF BUSINESS 1220 Potter Drive, West Lafayette, Indiana

NAME OF RESIDENT AGENT Neal E. Fearnot

ADDRESS OF RESIDENT AGENT P. O. Box 2402  
1220 Potter Drive, West Lafayette, Indiana

SIGNATURE OF AN OFFICER OF THE CORPORATION X Neal E. Fearnot  
Neal E. Fearnot, President

STATE OF INDIANA, TIPPECANOE COUNTY, SS:

Neal E. Fearnot deposes and says that he has personal  
knowledge of the facts above stated, that they and each of them  
are true.

X Neal E. Fearnot

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of October,  
1983.

Commission Expires Aug. 4, 1984

County of Residence

Tippicanoe  
Norma Lee Leuck  
Norma Lee Leuck #51822

This instrument prepared by:  
Mark L. Harris, Attorney

CERTIFICATE OF RECORDER  
OF TIPPECANOE COUNTY, INDIANA

The undersigned hereby certifies that attached hereto is a true and correct copy of a Certificate of Corporation Engaged in Business Under an Assumed Business Name, executed on behalf of Medical Engineering and Development Institute, Inc., and duly recorded on the 1st day of December, 1983, as Instrument No. 8311940, in the office of the Recorder of Tippecanoe County, Indiana.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate this 1st day of December, 1983.

Dottie High  
Recorder of Tippecanoe County, Indiana  
By: Jarvis K. Hill, Deputy