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WHEREAS, I, Klaus Draenert of Munich, Germany; (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), has invented certain new, original and ornamental design as described in an application entitled <u>IMPLANT AND</u> <u>ARRANGEMENT FOR ESPECIALLY REPLACING SURFACES THAT ARE SUBJECT TO STRESSES</u> for Letters Patent, the application having been executed on even date herewith, and/or being identifiable in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Application No. <u>10/545,442</u>, filed <u>August 15, 2005</u>; and

WHEREAS, Karl Storz GmbH & Co. KG (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), of Mittlestrasse 8 at D - 78532 Tuttlingen, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the application and any and all Letters Patent(s) or similar legal protection, foreign or domestic, to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, I transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to the design, the above-identified application, corresponding domestic and foreign applications including continuation applications, continuing applications, divisional applications and continuation-in-part applications, all Design Letters Patent(s) or similar legal protection issuing thereon, and all rights and benefits under any applicable treaty or convention; and I authorize the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office or foreign equivalent thereof to issue the Letters Patent or similar legal protection to the Assignee.

I authorize the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to insert in this instrument the filing date and serial number of the application when ascertained.

I authorize the Assignce, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent or similar legal protection, in its own name if desired, in any and all foreign countries.

I represent to the Assignee, its successors and assigns, that I have not and shall not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with this Assignment. I, my executors or administrators, will at any time upon request, without additional consideration, but at the expense of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as the Assignee, its successors and assigns, may deem desirable to perfect its enjoyment of this grant, and render all assistance in making application for and obtaining, maintaining, and enforcing the Design Letters Patent or similar legal protection on the design in any and all countries.

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