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# WORLDWIDE ASSIGNMENT

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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, We, **Syntheon, LLC**, having its principal place of business at 13755 S.W. 119 Avenue, Miami, FL 33186, U.S.A., hereinafter referred to as Assignor, hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over to **Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Inc.**, an Ohio corporation, having its principal place of business at 4545 Creek Road, Cincinnati, OH 45242, USA., hereinafter referred to as Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full, exclusive, and entire right, title and interest, in and for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all inventions that are disclosed in a provisional or non-provisional application for United States Letters patent, which has been filed on behalf of the undersigned and assigned Serial Number 14/167,135 and a Filing Date of January 29, 2014 and is entitled:

## **ADJUSTABLE COMPRESSION STAPLE AND METHOD FOR STAPLING WITH ADJUSTABLE COMPRESSION**

in and to said application and any and all non-provisional, divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, re-examination, extensions, certificates, international, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said inventions or to which the benefits of the priority date of said application is or will be claimed; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on said inventions including all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and the use of its successors, legal representatives and assigns to the full term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor, had the assignment not been made;

Assignor agrees that Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent in this or any other countries for said inventions in its own name;

Assignor agrees that, at the request of the Assignee and, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignee, Assignor will carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this Assignment; execute forms and documents for all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all said inventions; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to Assignee all facts known to the undersigned relating to said inventions and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which Assignee shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection for said inventions and for vesting title to said inventions, and all applications for patents and all patents on inventions in said Assignee;

Assignor covenants with Assignee that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned;

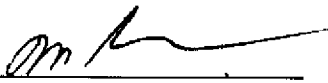
AND Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent of the United States to Assignee as the Assignee of said inventions and Letters Patent to be issued thereon for the sole use of Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

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