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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER
EFFECTIVE DATE:	12/13/2006
CONVEYING PARTY DATA	
Name	Execution Date
HOWMEDICA LEIBINGER INC.	12/01/2006
RECEIVING PARTY DATA	
Name:	STRYKER CORPORATION
Street Address:	2825 AIRVIEW BOULEVARD
City:	KALAMAZOO
State/Country:	MICHIGAN
Postal Code:	49002
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 2	
Property Type	Number
Application Number:	09764609
Application Number:	09791357
CORRESPONDENCE DATA	
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DATE SIGNED:	10/13/2015
Total Attachments: 3	
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Date Received DEC 13 2006	(FOR BUREAU USE ONLY)
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Name	CT Corporation System 6804131SO
Address	111 Eighth Avenue
City	New York, NY 10011
State	
Zip Code	
<p>EFFECTIVE DATE: Expiration date for new assumed names: December 31, Expiration date for transferred assumed names appear in Item 6</p>	

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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

For use by Parent and Subsidiary Profit Corporations
(Please read information and instructions on the last page)

Pursuant to the provisions of Act 284, Public Acts of 1972, the undersigned corporation executes the following Certificate:

1. a. The name of each constituent corporation and its identification number is:		
Stryker Corporation		148-492
Howmedica Leibinger Inc.		
b. The name of the surviving corporation and its identification number is:		
Stryker Corporation		148-492
c. For each subsidiary corporation, state:		
Name of corporation	Number of outstanding shares in each class	Number of shares owned by the parent corporation in each class
Howmedica Leibinger Inc.	100 shs. Common Stock	100 shs. Common Stock

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d. The manner and basis of converting the shares of each constituent corporation is as follows:

Each issued share of Common Stock of Howmedica Leibinger Inc. shall, on the effective date of the merger, be cancelled. The issued shares of Stryker Corporation shall not be converted or exchanged in any manner, but each said share that is issued at the effective date of the merger shall continue to represent one issued share of the surviving corporation.

e. The amendments to the Articles or a Restatement of the Articles of Incorporation of the surviving corporation to be effected by the merger are as follows:

f. Other provisions with respect to the merger are as follows:

2. The merger is permitted by the state or country under whose law it is incorporated and each foreign corporation has complied with that law in effecting the merger.

3. (Delete if not applicable)

The consent to the merger by the shareholders of the subsidiary corporation was obtained pursuant to its Articles of Incorporation. (Such consent is necessary if the Articles of Incorporation require approval of the merger by the vote of the holders of more than the percentage of the shares owned by the parent corporation.)

4. (Delete if not applicable)

The consent to the merger by the shareholders of the parent corporation was obtained. (Such consent is necessary if its Articles of Incorporation require shareholder approval of the merger, the plan of merger amends its Articles of Incorporation, or a subsidiary is to be the surviving corporation.)

5. (Complete only if an effective date is desired other than the date of filing)

The merger shall be effective on the _____ day of _____, 2006.

Signed this 1st day of November ~~December~~, 2006

Stryker Corporation

(Name of parent corporation)

By Thomas R. Winkel

(Signature of an authorized officer or agent)

Thomas R. Winkel

(Type or Print Name)