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## Assignment

Whereas, We, Yasuaki Nakanishi of Nara , Japan, Akinobu Hakoda of Nara , Japan, and Keiko Matsuyoshi of Nara , Japan, hereinafter called assignors, have invented certain improvements in SURGICAL INSTRUMENT FOR MAKING INCISIONS and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor; and

Whereas, PUBLIC UNIVERSITY CORPORATION NARA MEDICAL UNIVERSITY 840, Shijo-cho, Kashihara-shi, Nara 6348521, Japan and NARA SEIKO INC. 3681, Obu, Sakurai-shi, Nara 6330101, Japan (collectively referred to as "assignee"), desire to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

We, the above named assignors, hereby sell, assign and transfer to the above named assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the application and the invention disclosed therein for the United States of America, including all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States that may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof, and all countries foreign thereto, including rights of priority under the International Convention of Paris (1883) as amended, including the right to claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §119, and We request the Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in the application to the assignee, its successors and assigns; and We hereby agree that the assignee may apply for foreign Letters Patent on the invention and We will execute without further consideration all papers deemed necessary by the assignee in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by the assignee.

We hereby authorize and request our attorneys PROCOPIO, CORY, HARGREAVES & SAVITCH LLP of 525 B Street Suite 2200, San Diego, CA 92101 to insert here in parentheses (Application number 15/312,164 and Confirmation number 3638, filed November 17, 2016) the application number, confirmation number and filing date of said application when known.

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