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- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
☐ Joint Research Agreement  
☐ Government Interest Assignment  
☐ Executive Order 9424, Confirmatory License  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)**

Name: Medical Specialties, Inc.

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 4600 Lebanon Road, Suite K

City: Charlotte

State: North Carolina

Country: U.S.

Zip: 28227

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**4. Application or patent number(s):**

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B. Patent No.(s)

62/257,941

62/400,382

15/355,587

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Eric Lee Gaylord, a U.S. citizen, residing at Matthews, North Carolina (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR"), am an inventor of certain new and useful improvements (hereinafter collectively referred to as "INVENTION") in *Universal Wrist Brace with Enhanced Lacing*, for which U.S. Provisional Patent Application Nos. 62/257,941 and 62/400,382 were filed on November 20, 2015, and September 27, 2016, respectively (hereinafter referred to as "PROVISIONAL APPLICATIONS"), and for which U.S. Non-Provisional Patent Application No. 15/355,587 was filed on November 18, 2016, (hereinafter referred to as "NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION"); and

WHEREAS, Medical Specialties, Inc., a U.S. corporation (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), having a principal place of business at 4600 Lebanon Road, Suite K, Charlotte, North Carolina, has acquired the equitable right, title, and interest — and is desirous of acquiring any remaining right, title, and interest — in and to said INVENTION as described in said PROVISIONAL APPLICATIONS and said NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION, and in and to any and all Letters Patent that shall be granted with respect to said INVENTION in the United States of America and all other countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the ASSIGNOR, have sold, assigned, transferred, and conveyed unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, my equitable right, title, and interest — and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and convey unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns any remaining right, title, and interest — in and to said INVENTION, in and

to said PROVISIONAL APPLICATIONS, in and to said NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION, in and to any and all other non-provisional, international, and foreign applications (including continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisions thereof) claiming benefit of one or more filing dates of said PROVISIONAL APPLICATIONS and/or said NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION, together with the right to claim the priority of said PROVISIONAL APPLICATIONS and the priority of said NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION in the United States of America and in all foreign countries in accordance with international treaties and conventions, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America and all other countries (or reissues, reexaminations, or extensions thereof) that may be granted therefore or thereon, for the full term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, the same to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if an assignment and sale had not been made.

I acknowledge that at the time said INVENTION was made, said INVENTION was owned by or subject to an obligation of assignment to said ASSIGNEE. I further acknowledge that said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns have the sole right to determine patent prosecution strategies with respect to said INVENTION and all corresponding applications, and hereby request that Letters Patent be issued in accordance with this assignment. I further acknowledge and agree that this assignment includes any and all past, present, and future claims against third parties in connection with any of the rights assigned by this assignment to said ASSIGNEE.

I further covenant and agree to bind my heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, to communicate promptly to said ASSIGNEE or its representatives any facts known to me relating to said INVENTION, to testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said INVENTION, to execute any additional papers, make all rightful oaths, and do all other lawful acts that may be requested to confirm the right of said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns to secure patent or similar protection for said INVENTION in all countries and to vest in said ASSIGNEE complete title to said INVENTION and Letters Patent, without further compensation, but at the expense of said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns.

Furthermore, I, Eric Lee Gaylord, hereby declare the following: (i) U.S. Non-Provisional Patent Application No. 15/355,587, filed November 18, 2016, was made or authorized to be made by me; (ii) I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in U.S. Non-Provisional Patent Application No. 15/355,587; and (iii) I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. §1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name on the day and year set forth below.

Executed this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 2017.

Eric Lee Gaylord  
Eric Lee Gaylord

COUNTY OF ANSON

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Before me personally appeared said Eric Lee Gaylord and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 2017.

Sandra R. Ratliffe  
Notary Public

Sandra R. Ratliffe  
Printed Name

My commission expires: 9/30/2018

