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INVENTION AND PATENT ASSIGNMENT
(by Inventor)

WHEREAS, I Friedhelm Beyersdorf ("Assignor") residing at Huggstetter Strasse 55, Freiburg 79106, Germany, have invented certain new and useful improvements in:

LOAD DISTRIBUTOR FOR A STERNUM CLOSURE DEVICE AND TOOL FOR CUTTING THE LOAD DISTRIBUTOR
("the Invention")

☒ for which a patent application was filed on 3/17/2017, in the country of United States Application Number 15/461,626
("the Application")

☐ for which a patent application for the country of _____ was executed by me on _____ ("the Application")

☐ for which an International Patent Application was filed on _____, as _____, designating the country/region of _____ ("the Application")

AND WHEREAS, Assignor wishes to assign to STRYKER LEIBINGER GMBH & CO. KG, an entity organized under the laws of Germany having an address of: Bötzingerstrasse 41, Freiburg, D-79111, Germany ("Assignee"), and Assignee wishes to acquire, the entire right, title and interest to the Invention and the Application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets over to Assignee, and Assignee hereby accepts, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America and all other countries, in and to the Invention and the Application and all original, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitute or reissue applications and patents applied for or granted therefor in the United States of America and all other countries for the Invention, including without limitation all applications and patents for the Invention claiming priority or benefit of the Application pursuant to any law or treaty, and including all claims for damages by reason of past infringement with the right to sue for and collect the same for its own use and the use of its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and including the right to claim such priority or benefit, and the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks and the Patent Office officials in foreign countries as are duly authorized by the respective foreign patent laws to issue patents are hereby authorized and requested to issue all patents on said improvements or resulting therefrom to Assignee, as assignee of the entire interest therein; and the Assignor does hereby agree and covenant without further remuneration, to execute and deliver all original, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and other applications for Letters Patent on the Invention and all assignments thereof to Assignee or its assigns, to communicate to Assignee or its representatives all facts known to the undersigned respecting the Invention, whenever requested, to testify in any interferences or other legal proceedings in which the Application and any related applications or patents may become involved, to sign all lawful papers, make all rightful oaths, and to do generally everything necessary to aid Assignee, its successors, assigns and nominees to obtain patent protection for said improvements in all countries, the expenses incident to said applications to be borne and paid by Assignee.

Assignor does hereby authorize the attorneys of Assignee and their assigns to insert on this Assignment the filing date and application number of said Application when known.

ASSIGNOR

By: [Signature]
Printed: Beyersdorf
Title: Prof. Dr.
Date: April 24, 2017

ASSIGNEE

By: [Signature]
Printed: GREG PLASKON
Title: V.P. IP
Date: June 7, 2017

WITNESS

By: [Signature]
Printed: Thomson, Anne
Title: _____
Date: April 21, 2017

WITNESS

By: [Signature]
Printed: Ashley Salemi
Title: IP Coordinator
Date: 7 June 2017

INVENTION AND PATENT ASSIGNMENT
(by Inventor)

WHEREAS, I Christian Knoepfle ("Assignor") residing at Albin-Vogt-Strasse 6 Donaueschingen, 78166, Germany, have invented certain new and useful improvements in:

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ASSIGNOR

By: _____
Printed: CHRISTIAN KNOEPFLE
Title: DIRECTOR GFI
Date: APRIL 6th, 2017

ASSIGNEE

By: _____
Printed: GREG PLASKON
Title: VP, IP
Date: JUNE 7, 2017

WITNESS

By: _____
Printed: NICOLE BAK
Title: ASSISTANT GFI
Date: APRIL 6th, 2017

WITNESS

By: _____
Printed: ASHLEY SAKENO
Title: IP COORDINATOR
Date: 7 JUNE 2017

INVENTION AND PATENT ASSIGNMENT
(by Inventor)

WHEREAS, I Manfred Schmuck ("Assignor") residing at Winkelstr. 8, Mülheim 78570, Germany, have invented certain new and useful improvements in:

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AND WHEREAS, Assignor wishes to assign to STRYKER LEIBINGER GMBH & CO. KG, an entity organized under the laws of Germany having an address of: Böttingerstrasse 41, Freiburg, D-79111, Germany ("Assignee"), and Assignee wishes to acquire, the entire right, title and interest to the Invention and the Application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets over to Assignee, and Assignee hereby accepts, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America and all other countries, in and to the Invention and the Application and all original, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitute or reissue applications and patents applied for or granted therefor in the United States of America and all other countries for the Invention, including without limitation all applications and patents for the Invention claiming priority or benefit of the Application pursuant to any law or treaty, and including all claims for damages by reason of past infringement with the right to sue for and collect the same for its own use and the use of its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and including the right to claim such priority or benefit, and the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks and the Patent Office officials in foreign countries as are duly authorized by the respective foreign patent laws to issue patents are hereby authorized and requested to issue all patents on said improvements or resulting therefrom to Assignee, as assignee of the entire interest therein; and the Assignor does hereby agree and covenant without further remuneration, to execute and deliver all original, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and other applications for Letters Patent on the Invention and all assignments thereof to Assignee or its assigns, to communicate to Assignee or its representatives all facts known to the undersigned respecting the Invention, whenever requested, to testify in any interferences or other legal proceedings in which the Application and any related applications or patents may become involved, to sign all lawful papers, make all rightful oaths, and to do generally everything necessary to aid Assignee, its successors, assigns and nominees to obtain patent protection for said improvements in all countries, the expenses incident to said applications to be borne and paid by Assignee.

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ASSIGNOR

By: [Signature]
Printed: Manfred Schmuck
Title: Senior Prototype Specialist
Date: 03 April 2017

ASSIGNEE

By: [Signature]
Printed: GREG PLASKON
Title: VP, IP
Date: JUNE 7, 2017

WITNESS

By: [Signature]
Printed: HAAR GREINER
Title: Senior Lead: Prototype Shop
Date: 03 April 2017

WITNESS

By: [Signature]
Printed: Ashley Salerno
Title: 3P Coordinator
Date: 7 June 2017

INVENTION AND PATENT ASSIGNMENT
(by Inventor)

WHEREAS, I Karl Greiner ("Assignor") residing at Friedenstr. 1, Muehlheim 78570, Germany, have invented certain new and useful improvements in:

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("the Invention")

☒ for which a patent application was filed on 3/17/2017, in the country of United States Application Number 15/461,626
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ASSIGNOR

By: [Signature]
Printed: KARL GREINER
Title: Senior Lead Polypeptide
Date: 03 April 2017

ASSIGNEE

By: [Signature]
Printed: GREG PASKO
Title: VP IP
Date: JUN 7, 2017

WITNESS

By: [Signature]
Printed: Heather Schmuck
Title: Senior Polypeptide Specialist
Date: 03 April 2017

WITNESS

By: [Signature]
Printed: Ashley Saleno
Title: IP Coordinator
Date: 7 June 2017