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DECLARATION

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that this declaration is directed to:

[ ] The attached application, or

[X] United States application or PCT international application number 29/577,261
    filed on September 12, 2016.

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims.

I am aware of the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56.

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.

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of the invention described in the above-identified application for United States Letters Patent, and United States Patent No. D767,137 and United States Patent No. D745,159, hereinafter referred to as “Assignor”.

WHEREAS, NuVasive, Inc., a corporation of Delaware, located at 7475 Lusk Blvd., San Diego, CA 92121, hereinafter referred to as “Assignee,” is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same.

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor has assigned, and by these presents hereby does assign to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the invention and applications listed herein and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and in and to any Letters Patent and Registrations which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world, and to claim the priority from the application as provided by the Paris Convention. The right, title and interest is to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee’s successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this Assignment not been made, for the full term of any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

Assignor further agrees that he/she will, without charge to Assignee, but at Assignee’s expense, (a) cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of U.S. patent applications and foreign counterparts on the invention and any improvements, (b) execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all such further papers, including patent applications and instruments of transfer, and (c) perform such other acts as Assignee lawfully may request to obtain or maintain Letters Patent and Registrations for the invention and improvements in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in Assignee, or Assignee’s successors and assigns.

Assignor hereby grants NuVasive, Inc. the power to insert the application number and filing date of said application when known.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has signed his/her name on the date indicated.

LEGAL NAME OF INVENTOR: Erika Lin

Signature: [Signature]

Date: 6/14/2017