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#### **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, T.J. Smith & Nephew Limited of PO Box 81,101 Hessle Road, Hull, HU3 2BN, a company with company number 00093994 (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), represents and warrants that it is an owner of certain new and useful improvements disclosed in the following United States and PCT patent applications (hereinafter "the Patent Applications"):

Application No.	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Title</u>
12/443,169	3/26/2009	LATTICE DRESSING
PCT/US2007/079529	9/26/2007	LATTICE DRESSING
60/826,922	9/26/2006	LATTICE DRESSING

WHEREAS, Smith & Nephew Inc., a Delaware corporation with its office and place of business at 1450 Brooks Road, Memphis, Tennessee, TN 38016 (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE") desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest of ASSIGNOR in and to the improvements disclosed in the Patent Applications;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby further acknowledges that it has sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, and transfer, unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, ASSIGNOR's entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to, and under the said improvements, and the said Patent Applications and all Patents. Design Application Registrations, or Registered Designs that may be granted thereon, and all provisional applications relating thereto, and all divisions, continuations, reissues, reexaminations, renewals, and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent that may hereafter be filed for said improvements or for the said Patent Applications in any country or countries foreign to the United States; and ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent, Design Application Registrations, or Registered Designs for said improvements and all Letters Patents, Design Application Registrations, or Registered Designs resulting from the Patent Applications to ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Agreement.

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