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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	ASSIGNMENT	
CONVEYING PARTY DATA		
	Name	Execution Date
	VALERIS MEDICAL, INC.	03/27/2020
RECEIVING PARTY DATA		
Name:	MARUHO MEDICAL, INC.	
Street Address:	55 ACCORD PARK DRIVE	
City:	NORWELL	
State/Country:	MASSACHUSETTS	
Postal Code:	02061	
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1		
	Property Type	Number
	Application Number:	29708505
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DATE SIGNED:	03/30/2020	
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To the Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: Please record the attached documents or the new address(es) below.

1. Name of conveying party(ies)

Valeris Medical, Inc.

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Nature of conveyance/Execution Date(s):

Execution Date(s) 2020-03-27

- ☒ 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: Maruho Medical, Inc.

Internal Address:

Street Address: 55 Accord Park Drive

City: Norwell

State: MA

Country: US Zip: 02061

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application or patent number(s):

☐ This document serves as an Oath/Declaration (37 CFR 1.63).

A. Patent Application No.(s)

29/708,505

B. Patent No.(s)

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: David J. Powsner

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Docket Number: DN0354D1

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 1.21(h) & 3.41) \$

- ☐ Authorized to be charged to deposit account
☐ Enclosed
☒ None required (government interest not affecting title)

8. Payment Information

Deposit Account Number

Authorized UserName

9. Signature: /David J. Powsner/

2020-03-30

Signature

Date

David J. Powsner, Reg. No. 31,868

Name of Person Signing

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CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT ATTENDANT TO MERGER

This confirmatory assignment ("Confirmatory Assignment") is made attendant to the merging of Valeris Medical Inc. ("Assignor"), a Georgia corporation, with and into Maruho Medical, Inc. ("Assignee"), a Delaware corporation.

WHEREAS, pursuant to certificates of merger duly filed with the secretaries of state of Delaware and Georgia, on **January 30, 2020**, and **January 31, 2020**, respectively, copies of which certificates of merger are attached hereto in **Exhibit A**, the Assignor was merged into the Assignee, the surviving entity.

WHEREAS, prior to merger, Assignor was holder of all right, title and interest in and to the patents and patent applications listed in **Exhibit B** hereto (collectively, the "Patents") by operation of law, contract or otherwise, from the respective inventors thereof and/or mesne assignees.

WHEREAS, Assignee is desirous of codifying, *inter alia* for recordation, its acquisition of all right, title and interest in and to the Patents pursuant to merger.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration the receipt and sufficiency of which the parties hereto agree, Assignor does hereby confirm assignment and transfer to Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patents, and in and to all applications (including, by non-limiting example, divisionals, continuations, continuations-in-part) in any country from which the Patents issued, directly or indirectly, and/or on which the Patents claim priority or are otherwise based, and in and to all further patents (including, by non-limiting example, reissues and extensions) in any country that may issue, directly or indirectly, from the Patents and/or the aforesaid applications, including those further patents that claim priority to or are otherwise based on the Patents and/or the aforesaid applications, and in and to all inventions described and/or claimed in the Patents, the aforesaid applications and the aforesaid further patents (all, collectively, hereinafter, "Patents"), and in and to all other rights in the Patents under the provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property; and the Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the issuing authorities to issue the Patents to the Assignee or its successors and assigns.

The Assignor further agrees and/or confirms its agreement to execute the Patents and to sign all other lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts without further consideration, but without expense to itself, which Assignee or its successors and assigns may deem necessary or desirable to make fully effective this Confirmatory Assignment and Assignee's ownership of all right, title and interest in and to the Patents.

The Assignor and Assignee hereby grant their respective attorney or attorneys (and/or those of their respective successors and assigns) the power to amend this confirmatory assignment from time to time after execution hereof and as such attorney or attorneys see fit, if at all,

- (i) by supplementing, correcting and/or otherwise revising the listing of patents and patent applications in **Exhibit B** and/or
- (ii) by adding to **Exhibit C** hereto and/or removing therefrom assignments, declarations and other documents pertaining to one or more of the Patents listed in **Exhibit B**,

whether for purposes of documenting chain of title, recording a transfer or otherwise.

VALERIS MEDICAL INC., ASSIGNOR
by its successor-in-interest Maruho Medical, Inc.

by:  /
Name: Eric Cohill, CEO

MARUHO MEDICAL, INC., ASSIGNEE

by:  /
Name: Eric Cohill, CEO

EXHIBIT A

Certificates of Merger

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF
DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT
COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, WHICH MERGES:

"VALERIS MEDICAL, INC.", A GEORGIA CORPORATION,
WITH AND INTO "MARUHO MEDICAL, INC." UNDER THE NAME OF
"MARUHO MEDICAL, INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING
UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED
IN THIS OFFICE ON THE THIRTIETH DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 2020, AT
5:27 O'CLOCK P.M.



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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

MERGING

**VALERIS MEDICAL, INC.
A GEORGIA CORPORATION**

WITH AND INTO

**MARUHO MEDICAL, INC.
A DELAWARE CORPORATION**

Pursuant to Title 8, Section 252 of the Delaware General Corporation Law (the "DGCL"), the undersigned surviving corporation executed the following Certificate of Merger:

FIRST: The name of each constituent corporation is Valeris Medical, Inc., a Georgia corporation and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Maruho Medical, Inc. and Maruho Medical, Inc., a Delaware corporation.

SECOND: The Plan of Merger has been approved, adopted, certified, executed and acknowledged by each of the constituent corporations pursuant to Title 8, Section 252 DGCL.

THIRD: The name of the surviving corporation is Maruho Medical, Inc., a Delaware corporation.

FOURTH: The Certificate of Incorporation of the surviving corporation shall be its Certificate of Incorporation.

FIFTH: The stock of Valeris Medical, Inc. then issued and outstanding shall be cancelled and shall be of no further force or effect. Prior to the merger, 1,000 shares were authorized with par value of \$0.001.

SIXTH: The merger is to become effective upon the filing of this Certificate of Merger with the Secretary of State of Delaware.

SEVENTH: The Plan of Merger is on file at 55 Accord Park Drive, Norwell, MA 02061, the place of business of the surviving corporation.

EIGHTH: A copy of the Plan of Merger will be furnished by the surviving corporation on request, without cost, to any stockholder of the constituent corporations.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Maruho Medical, Inc. has caused this Certificate of Merger to be executed in its corporate name as of January 30, 2020.

MARUHO MEDICAL, INC.

By: /s/ Eric Cohill

Eric Cohill, President

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Control Number : N/A

STATE OF GEORGIA

Secretary of State

Corporations Division

313 West Tower

2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.

Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

I, **Brad Raffensperger**, the Secretary of State and the Corporation Commissioner of the State of Georgia, do hereby issue this certificate pursuant to Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated certifying that articles or a certificate of merger and fees have been filed regarding the merger of the below entities, effective as of **01/31/2020**. Attached is a true and correct copy of the said filing.

Surviving Entity:

Maruho Medical, Inc., a Foreign Non-Qualifying Entity

Nonsurviving Entity/Entities:

Valeris Medical, Inc., a Domestic Profit Corporation

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Atlanta
and the State of Georgia on **01/31/2020**.



Brad Raffensperger

Brad Raffensperger
Secretary of State

VALERIS MEDICAL, INC.

Certificate of Merger

Pursuant to the Official Code of Georgia Annotated ("O.C.G.A."), the undersigned parties submit this Certificate of Merger.

The merger is permitted by the laws of the State of Delaware, under which Maruho Medical, Inc. was formed ("Maruho"), and Maruho has complied with such laws in effecting the merger.

1. **Parties.** Valeris Medical, Inc., a corporation formed under the laws of the State of Georgia on February 20, 2013 and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Maruho, shall be merged with and into Maruho (the "Merger").

2. **Surviving Corporation.** The surviving corporation shall be Maruho Medical, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Surviving Corporation").

3. **Effective Date.** The merger shall be effective upon the filing of this Certificate of Merger with Georgia Secretary of State.

4. **Approval of Plan of Merger.** The plan of merger was duly authorized and approved by the board of directors and shareholders of each constituent business entity.

6. **Plan of Merger.** The executed plan of merger is on file at the principal place of business of the Surviving Corporation, located at 55 Accord Park Drive, Norwell, MA 02061.

7. **Availability of Plan of Merger.** A copy of the plan of merger will be furnished by the Surviving Corporation, on request and without cost, to any member or any person holding interest of any corporation that is a party to the merger.

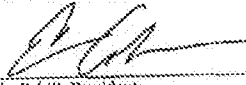
8. **Notice of Merger.** The request for publication of a notice of filing of the certificate of merger and payment therefor will be made as required by subsection (b) of Section 15-22-1105.1 of the O.C.G.A.

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In WITNESS WHEREOF and under the penalties of perjury I have hereto signed my name this
30th day of January, 2020.

MARUHO MEDICAL, INC.

By: 
Eric Cobelli, President

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EXHIBIT B

Patents

BONE ANCHOR DELIVERY SYSTEM DEVICE AND METHOD

- US 9,271,717, issued Mar. 1, 2016
- US 9,247,933, issued Feb. 2, 2016
- USSN 14/527,043, filed Oct. 29, 2014
- USSN 61/928,088, filed on Jan. 16, 2014
- USSN 14/677,265, filed Apr. 2, 2015

BONE ANCHOR DELIVERY SYSTEM DEVICE WITH SUTURES

- US 9,241,703, issued Jan. 26, 2016
- US 9,241,705, issued Jan. 26, 2016
- USSN 14/572,199, filed Dec. 16, 2014
- USSN 61/928,095, filed on Jan. 16, 2014
- USSN 14/677,204, filed Apr. 2, 2015

TWO SUTURE ANCHOR

- US 10,022,115, issued Jul. 17, 2018
- US 9,241,704, issued Jan. 26, 2016
- USSN 14/526,938, filed Oct. 29, 2014
- USSN 14/676,429, filed Apr. 1, 2015

BONE ANCHOR DEVICE

- USSN 14/334,235, filed Jul. 17, 2014

BONE FUSING DEVICE FOR FUSING PHALANGES

- USSN 14/336,068, filed Jul. 21, 2014

SUTURE PASSER

- US 9,220,497, issued Dec. 29, 2015
- USSN 14/744,134, filed Jun. 19, 2015

BONE ANCHOR DELIVERY SYSTEM DEVICE AND METHOD

- US 9,526,494, issued Dec. 27, 2016
- USSN 14/974,697, filed Dec. 18, 2015

IMPROVED SUTURE ANCHOR

- USSN 29/708,505, filed Oct. 7, 2019
- USSN 29/708,508, filed Oct. 7, 2019

EXHIBIT C

Assignments, Declarations and Other Documents
Pertaining to One or More of the Patents



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND
DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

OCTOBER 11, 2019

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DAVID L. KING
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HIGH SPRINGS, FL 32643

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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE NOTICE OF RECORDATION OF ASSIGNMENT DOCUMENT

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PLEASE REVIEW ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THIS NOTICE. THE INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THIS RECORDATION NOTICE REFLECTS THE DATA PRESENT IN THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT SYSTEM. IF YOU SHOULD FIND ANY ERRORS OR HAVE QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS NOTICE, YOU MAY CONTACT THE ASSIGNMENT RECORDATION BRANCH AT 571-272-3350. PLEASE SEND REQUEST FOR CORRECTION TO: U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE, MAIL STOP: ASSIGNMENT RECORDATION BRANCH, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313.

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BRIEF: ASSIGNMENT OF ASSIGNORS INTEREST (SEE DOCUMENT FOR DETAILS).

DOCKET NUMBER: DN0354D1

ASSIGNOR:

THIES, BRENDAN D.

DOC DATE: 10/07/2019

ASSIGNEE:

VALERIS MEDICAL, INC.
200 COBB PKWY N., BUILDING 200,
SUITE 210
MARIETTA, GEORGIA 30062

APPLICATION NUMBER: 29708505

FILING DATE: 10/07/2019

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: SUTURE ANCHOR

ASSIGNMENT RECORDATION BRANCH
PUBLIC RECORDS DIVISION

Docket No.: DN0354D1Serial No.: 29/708,505Filed: October 7, 2019

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Brendan D. Thies, 408 Pinehaven Ln, Woodstock, GA 30188 U.S.A., have invented certain improvements in "Improved Suture Anchor", and described in a patent application executed the 7th day of October, 2019, by the undersigned for filing in The United States of America, being owner of all right, title and interest in and to said application and in and to any invention described therein and having full right to convey the entire interest both legal and equitable herein assigned; and

WHEREAS, VALERIS MEDICAL, INC., 200 Cobb Pkwy N, Building 200, Suite 210, of Marietta, GA 30062, a Limited Liability Company of the State of Georgia (assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and said invention described therein and any and all patents to be obtained therefor, all as hereinafter set forth:

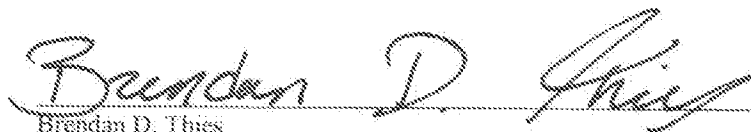
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration received by the undersigned, the undersigned do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, as described in the aforesaid application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid application; and in and to any application filed in any foreign country based thereon, including the right to file said foreign applications under the provisions of the International Convention; also the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents or reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in this or any foreign country upon said invention or inventions and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or substitute applications which may be filed upon said invention or inventions in this or any foreign country; and the undersigned hereby authorize and request the issuing authority to issue any and all patents on said application or applications to said assignee or its successors and assigns.

The undersigned further agree to execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, improvement, extension, reissue and other patent applications in this or any foreign country relating to said application or invention and to sign all other lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts without further consideration, but without expense to myself (ourselves), which the assignee may deem necessary or desirable to make this Assignment fully effective including by way of example, but not of limitation, the following acts:

- (1) Prompt execution of all lawful oaths, affidavits and/or supplemental oaths required or deemed advisable by the assignee to further the prosecution of any application or applications for letters patent relating to the subject matter of this Assignment;
- (2) To cooperate to the best of our ability in the execution of all lawful documents, the production of evidence, and the giving of testimony in interference, opposition, nullification or infringement proceedings involving the said invention or improvement, applications or patents or any of them.

The undersigned hereby authorize said assignee to insert in this Assignment the serial number and filing date of the above-identified application when known.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto set their hands and seals on the dates set after their signatures.


Brendan D. Thies

10/07/2019