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DOCKET NO. END6276USNP/070410  
Joint Inventors

## ASSIGNMENT

Serial No. 12/245,158  
Filed: October 3, 2008

WHEREAS, Daniel W. Price, a citizen of the United States, residing at 185 Overlook Drive, Loveland, Ohio 45140; Galen C. Robertson, a citizen of the United States, residing at 5752 Doerger Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45212; Cory G. Kimball, a citizen of the United States, residing at 6136 Lagrange Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45239; Scott A. Woodruff, a citizen of the United States, residing at 3582 Harbour Bay Drive, Loveland, Ohio 45140; Matthew C. Miller, a citizen of the United States, residing at 3524 Zumstein Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45208; Klp M. Rapp, a citizen of the United States, residing at 2096 State Route 232, New Richmond, Ohio 45147; Carrie I. Fihe, a citizen of the United States, residing 9210 Deercross Parkway #2A, Cincinnati, Ohio 45236; Jane A. Sheetz, a citizen of the United States, residing 8190 Sunburst Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45241; and Carl J. Draginoff, Jr., a citizen of the United States, residing at 5915 Westfield Court, Mason, Ohio 45040; hereinafter called "Assignors"), have made certain new and useful inventions or discoveries relating to:

### ERGONOMIC SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS

for which they have this day executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Inc., a corporation formed under the laws of the State of Ohio, (hereinafter called "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring Assignors' entire right, title, and interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other valuable considerations to them moving, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have sold, assigned, and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee their entire right, title and interest in and to all said inventions and discoveries disclosed in said application whose identification above by serial number and filing date, when available is hereby authorized, and in and to said application, all substitutions, divisions, and continuations thereof, and in and to all Letters Patent, United States and foreign, that may be granted for said inventions and discoveries, and in and to all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof, 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 Assignors if this Assignment and sale had not been made;

And Assignors hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States to issue said Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment;

And for the consideration aforesaid, Assignors covenant and agree with said Assignee that he has a full and unencumbered title to the inventions and discoveries above described and hereby assigned, which title they warrant unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns;

And for the consideration aforesaid, Assignors further covenant and agree that they will, whenever requested, but without cost to them promptly communicate to said Assignee or its representatives any facts known to them relating to said inventions and discoveries, testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said inventions and discoveries, and execute any additional papers that may be necessary to enable said Assignee or its representatives, successors, nominees, or assigns to secure full and complete protection for the said inventions and discoveries or that may be necessary to vest in said Assignee the complete title to the said inventions and discoveries and patents hereby conveyed and to enable it to record said title.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2008.

Daniel W. Price (L.S.)  
Daniel W. Price

STATE OF Ohio  
COUNTY OF Hamilton )

ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 2 day of December, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Daniel W. Price, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.



LINDA F. HANSEN  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires 07-10-2013

Linda F. Hansen  
Notary Public

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2008.

Galen C. Robertson (L.S.)  
Galen C. Robertson

STATE OF Ohio  
COUNTY OF Hamilton )

ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 2 day of December, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Galen C. Robertson, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Linda F. Hansen  
Notary Public



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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008.

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Cory G. Kimball (L.S.)

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Cory G. Kimball, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this 02 day of December, 2008.

Scott A. Woodruff (L.S.)  
Scott A. Woodruff

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF Hamilton )

ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 2 day of December 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Scott A. Woodruff, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Linda F. Hansen  
Notary Public



LINDA F. HANSEN  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires 07-10-2013

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this 2nd day of ~~DECEMBER~~, 2008.

Matthew C. Miller (L.S.)  
Matthew C. Miller

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF Hamilton ) ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 2 day of December, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Matthew C. Miller, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Linda F. Hansen  
Notary Public

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this 2 day of December, 2008.

Kip M. Rupp (L.S.)  
Kip M. Rupp

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF Hamilton ) ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 2 day of December, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Kip M. Rupp, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Linda F. Hansen  
Notary Public



LINDA F. HANSEN  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires 07-10-2013

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008.

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Carrie L. Fihe (L.S.)

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Carrie L. Fihe, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this 2 day of December, 2008.

Jane A. Sheetz (L.S.)  
Jane A. Sheetz

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF Hamilton )

ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 2 day of December, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Jane A. Sheetz, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Linda F. Hansen  
Notary Public



LINDA F. HANSEN  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires 07-10-2013

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2008.

Carl J. Draginoff, Jr. (L.S.)  
Carl J. Draginoff, Jr.

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF Hamilton ) ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 2 day of December, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Carl J. Draginoff, Jr., who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Linda F. Hansen  
Notary Public



LINDA F. HANSEN  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires 07-10-2013



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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this 14 day of October, 2008.  
Carrie L Fihe (L.S.)  
Carrie L. Fihe

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss. Accra,  
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BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Carrie L. Fihe, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008.  
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Jane A. Sheetz (L.S.)

STATE OF Ohio )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Jane A. Sheetz, who I am satisfied is the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument in my presence, and I having first made known to him the contents thereof, he did acknowledge that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

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Notary Public