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We,

Inventor:

Nathan Crum, a citizen of the United States, of Marana, Arizona, U.S.A., and
Michael Otter, a citizen of the United States, of Tucson, Arizona, U.S.A.,

(hereinafter "Assignor(s)") while employed by Ventana Medical Systems, Inc., having a place of business at 1910 E. Innovation Park Drive, Tucson, Arizona 85755, U.S.A.,

have invented one or more inventions (collectively, the "Invention"), which are at least as embodied in U.S. Patent Application No. 15/681,235 filed on August 18, 2017, which is a continuation of International Application No. PCT/EP201/053341 filed on February 17, 2016, which claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 62/118,878 filed February 20, 2015, and U.S. Provisional Application No. 62/165,616 filed May 22, 2015, which application(s) are referred to herein as the "Provisional Application," all entitled ASSEMBLY FOR STORING AND TRANSPORTING TISSUE SAMPLES IMMERSSED IN A FLUID.

In consideration of our obligations and other valuable consideration constituting adequate and full compensation, Assignors each hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Ventana Medical Systems, Inc. and its successors and assigns (collectively, "Assignee"), each of our respective full and exclusive right, title, and interest in the Invention, the Provisional Application, and any corresponding patent rights throughout the United States and its territories and dependencies, and all other countries and jurisdictions of the world, or hereby acknowledge the previous transfer to Assignee of all such right, title and interest in the Invention, the Provisional Application, and any corresponding patent rights throughout the United States and its territories and dependencies, and all other countries and jurisdictions of the world. The conveyance of patent rights includes, without limitation, full and exclusive right, title, and interest in all non-provisional patent applications claiming all or part of the Invention and/or claiming the benefit of a filing date of the Provisional Application, and any patents that may issue from such non-provisional patent applications in the United States and/or all other countries and jurisdictions throughout the world, and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitution, conversion, re-examination, reissue, renewal, prolongation or extension thereof; and the right to claim priority from the Provisional Application as provided for by United States law, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, the Paris Convention, or other applicable law.

The Invention was made as a result of our activities at or on behalf of Assignee or as a result of our utilization of information, facilities or other resources of Assignee. The conditions under which the Invention was made are such as to entitle Assignee under the applicable law to each of our entire respective right, title, and interest in the Invention and any corresponding

patent applications and/or patents in the United States and its territories and dependencies, and all other countries and jurisdictions of the world.

Assignors each authorize and request the issuance of any patents arising from non-provisional patent applications claiming all or part of the Invention and/or claiming the benefit of a filing date of the Provisional Application to the Assignee to be held as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment not been made.

Assignors each warrant that, to the best of their knowledge, there are no outstanding assignments, grants, liens, encumbrances, or agreements either written, oral, or implied that will impair, diminish, limit, or abridge the interest herein conveyed.

Assignors each also agree upon reasonable request to communicate with the Assignee, its representatives or agents, any facts known to us respecting all or part of the Invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all non-provisional, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, re-examination, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, provide all requested documents, and do everything reasonably possible to aid the Assignee, its representatives or agents, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for all or part of the Invention in the United States or any other country of the world. These provisions are binding upon each of our heirs, legal representatives, administrators and assigns.

This Assignment may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which when executed and delivered, by facsimile or other electronic transmission, by mail delivery, or by other form of delivery, will be an original and all of which will constitute one and the same Assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment is executed as of the date(s) indicated on the following counterpart signature page(s).


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