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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Michael Taunton MD, residing at Rochester, MN (individual hereinafter "INVENTOR"), invented certain new and useful improvements, technology, inventions, developments, ideas, ornamental design or discoveries related to HIP IMPLANT SYSTEM (collectively hereinafter referred to as the "Work") for which an application for Letters Patent in the United States has been prepared for filing (identified above) with the United States Patent and Trademark Office (hereinafter the "Application");

AND WHEREAS, INVENTOR is, or at the relevant time was, an employee of Mayo Foundation for Medical Education and Research, having an address at 200 First Street SW, Rochester MN 55901 (the INVENTOR and Mayo Foundation for Medical Education and Research collectively referred to herein as "ASSIGNOR")

AND WHEREAS, Encore Medical, L.P. (D/B/A DJO Surgical), a Delaware Corporation, having an address at 9800 Metric Blvd., Austin, TX 78758 (hereinafter the "ASSIGNEE"), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the Application and the Work:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby acknowledges that ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in the Application and the Work, including all provisional applications relating thereto, including but not limited to U.S. Provisional Application No. 62/462,829, filed February 23, 2017, and all nonprovisional applications claiming priority thereto, including but not limited to PCT application No. PCT/US2018/019259, filed February 22, 2018, including, all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, and reexaminations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, (and do hereby authorize ASSIGNEE and its representative to hereafter add herein such application number(s) and/or filing date(s) when known), and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and any related Letters Patent which may hereafter be granted or filed in any country or countries foreign to the United States, all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all related Letters Patent to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND ASSIGNOR DOES HEREBY sell, assign, transfer, and convey to ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns all claims for damages and all remedies arising out of any violation of the rights assigned hereby that may have accrued prior to the date of assignment to ASSIGNEE, or may accrue hereafter, including, but not limited to, the right to sue for, collect, and retain damages for past infringements of said Letters Patent before or after issuance.

AND ASSIGNOR DOES HEREBY covenant and agree that ASSIGNOR will communicate to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to ASSIGNOR respecting the Work, and testify in any legal proceeding, assist in the preparation of any other provisional or non-provisional applications relating to the Application and the Work or any improvements made thereto, sign all lawful papers, authorize the filing of and execute and make all rightful oaths and/or declarations in connection with the Application and the Work including any improvements made thereto, any patent applications filed therefrom, and any continuing application filed from any of the aforementioned applications, and generally do everything possible to aid the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the Work in all countries.

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Legal Name of inventor: Michael Taunton MD		

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal:

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