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ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment is made and entered into by and between Christopher J. Kaye, residing at 36415 Sandy Knoll Drive, Eastlake, Ohio 44095 (U.S.), and Gary Mann, residing 6823 Rockport Lane, Mentor, Ohio 44060, (U.S.), (collectively hereinafter "INVENTORS"), and **United States Endoscopy Group, Inc.**, an Ohio corporation, with its office at 5976 Heisley Road, Mentor, Ohio 44060 (U.S.) (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE").

Whereas, INVENTORS have invented certain inventions described in United States Patent Application No. 29/656,132, filed July 10, 2018, titled TIP PROTECTOR, and have executed the United States patent application therefor;

Whereas, ASSIGNEE desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in said application and inventions, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor; and

Now, Therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged:

1. INVENTORS hereby sell, assign, and transfer to ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, so far as concerns the United States and the Territories and Possessions thereof and all foreign countries, in and to the inventions set forth in the application for United States Letters Patent executed by the INVENTORS, said application for United States Letters Patent, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions in the United States and in countries foreign to the United States, including all divisional, renewal, extension, reexamination, substitute, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, and Convention applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patent and reissues and extension of Letters Patent granted for said inventions or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said applications and said Letters Patent.

2. ASSIGNEE is hereby authorized to file patent applications in any or all countries on any or all said inventions in the name of the INVENTORS or in the name of ASSIGNEE or otherwise as ASSIGNEE may deem advisable, under the International Convention or otherwise.

3. The Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments are hereby authorized to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE in accordance herewith.

4. This Assignment is being made under covenant, not only that full power to make the same is had by the INVENTORS, but also that, at the time of execution of this Assignment, such assigned right is not encumbered by any grant, license, governmental restriction, or other right heretofore given.

5. The INVENTORS agree that they will do all acts reasonably serving to assure that said inventions, patent applications and Letters Patent shall be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by the INVENTORS if this Assignment had not been made, and particularly to execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE all lawful documents including petitions, specifications, oaths, assignments, invention disclaimers, lawful affidavits, and declarations in form and in substance which may be requested by ASSIGNEE, to furnish ASSIGNEE with all facts relating to said inventions or the history thereof and any and all documents, photographs, models, samples or other physical exhibits which may be useful for establishing the facts of conception, disclosure and reduction to practice of said inventions, and to testify in any proceedings relating to said inventions, patent applications and Letters Patent.

6. INVENTORS agree that this Assignment shall be construed in accordance with the laws and courts of Ohio. INVENTORS hereby also agree to submit to the jurisdiction of any Ohio court.

7. INVENTORS acknowledge and understand that the law firm of Calfee, Halter & Griswold LLP and its attorneys represent ASSIGNEE, and INVENTORS acknowledge and understand that they are not the client of Calfee, Halter & Griswold LLP.

8. INVENTORS acknowledge and understand that they have the opportunity to consult with independent legal counsel prior to executing this Assignment.

INVENTOR SIGNATURES:

Date: July 17, 2018

County of Lake)

State of Ohio) ss:

Christopher J. Kaye
Christopher J. Kaye

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State listed above, on this 17th day of July 2018, personally appeared before me, Christopher J. Kaye, to me known, or made to be known, to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same for the uses and the purposes therein mentioned.

(seal)

Kathleen M. Pennell
Notary Public KATHLEEN M. PENNELL
Notary Public, State of Ohio
Recorded in Lake County
My Commission Expires 4/17/2022

Date: 07/17/2018

County of Lake)

State of Ohio) ss:

Gary Mann
Gary Mann

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State listed above, on this 17th day of July 2018, personally appeared before me, Gary Mann, to me known, or made to be known, to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same for the uses and the purposes therein mentioned.

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Kathleen M. Pennell
Notary Public KATHLEEN M. PENNELL
Notary Public, State of Ohio
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ASSIGNEE ACCEPTANCE:

UNITED STATES ENDOSCOPY GROUP, INC.

Date: July 18, 2018

By: Tony Siracusa

Tony Siracusa
(Printed Name)

Vice President and General Manager
(Title)
