

## PATENT ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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<b>SUBMISSION TYPE:</b>	NEW ASSIGNMENT
<b>NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:</b>	CHANGE OF NAME
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Execution Date</b>
ETHICON ENDO-SURGERY, LLC	12/30/2016
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>	
<b>Name:</b>	ETHICON LLC
<b>Street Address:</b>	#475 STREET C, SUITE 401
<b>Internal Address:</b>	LOS FRAILES INDUSTRIAL PARK
<b>City:</b>	GUAYNABO
<b>State/Country:</b>	PUERTO RICO
<b>Postal Code:</b>	00969
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1</b>	
<b>Property Type</b>	<b>Number</b>
<b>Application Number:</b>	17032008
<b>CORRESPONDENCE DATA</b>	
<b>Fax Number:</b>	(412)355-6501
<i>Correspondence will be sent to the e-mail address first; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent using a fax number, if provided; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent via US Mail.</i>	
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<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:</b>	END5675USCNT38/050504CN38
<b>NAME OF SUBMITTER:</b>	CARA M. PINTO
<b>SIGNATURE:</b>	/Cara M. Pinto/
<b>DATE SIGNED:</b>	09/13/2021
<b>Total Attachments: 4</b>	
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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:

"ETHICON LLC", A DELAWARE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, WITH AND INTO "ETHICON ENDO-SURGERY, LLC" UNDER THE NAME OF "ETHICON LLC", A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2016, AT 12:36 O`CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF MERGER IS THE THIRTIETH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 2016 AT 12:01 O`CLOCK A.M.



  
JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, Secretary of State

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CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

OF

ETHICON LLC  
(a Delaware limited liability company)

WITH AND INTO

ETHICON ENDO-SURGERY, LLC  
(a Delaware limited liability company)

Pursuant to Section 18-209 of the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act, as amended (the “DLLCA”), Ethicon Endo-Surgery, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the “Company”), hereby certifies as follows:

FIRST: The name and state of organization of each of the constituent companies to the merger (the “Constituent Companies”) are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>State of Organization</u>
Ethicon Endo-Surgery, LLC	Delaware
Ethicon LLC	Delaware

SECOND: An Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of December 23, 2016, effective as of 12:01 a.m. Eastern Standard Time on December 30, 2016 (the “Merger Agreement”), has been approved, adopted, certified, executed and acknowledged by each of the Constituent Companies in accordance with Section 18-209 of the DLLCA, and the members of each of the Constituent Companies have given their written consent thereto in accordance with Section 18-302 of the DLLCA.

THIRD: The name of the surviving company of the merger shall be “Ethicon Endo-Surgery, LLC” (the “Surviving Company”).

FOURTH: The Certificate of Formation of the Company shall be the Certificate of Formation of the Surviving Company; provided, however, that the name of the Surviving Company set forth therein shall be changed to “Ethicon LLC”.

FIFTH: The executed Merger Agreement is on file at the office of the Surviving Company (or its successor), located at 183 KM 8.3, Industrial Area Hato, San Lorenzo, Puerto Rico 00754.

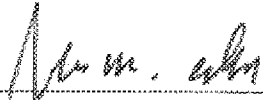
SIXTH: A copy of the Merger Agreement will be furnished by the Surviving Company (or its successor), on request and without cost, to any member of either Constituent Company.

SEVENTH: This Certificate of Merger, and the merger provided for herein, shall become effective at 12:01 a.m. Eastern Standard Time on December 30, 2016.

*(signature page follows)*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Merger.

ETHICON ENDO-SURGERY, LLC

By:   
Name: John M. Anspacher  
Title: Assistant Secretary

[SIGNATURE PAGE TO CERTIFICATE OF MERGER]