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Company to Company General Assignment

WHEREAS, **Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Inc.** having its place of business at **4545 Creek Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45242** (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), is the owner of certain new and useful inventions relating to:

**ENTITLED: SURGICAL INSTRUMENT ARTICULATION JOINT ARRANGEMENTS COMPRISING
MULTIPLE MOVING LINKAGE FEATURES**

for which on the 24th day of March 2021, US Application No. 17/211,242 was filed at the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

WHEREAS, **Cilag GmbH International**, having its place of business , **Gubelstrasse 34, 6300 Zug, SWITZERLAND** (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring 100% of the Assignors' entire right, title and interest therein, including the right to claim priority thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN, that in view of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby assigns and transfers, for all countries in the world, to said Assignee its entire right, title and interest, including the right to claim priority, in and to all said inventions disclosed in said applications and in and to said applications, and all foreign equivalents thereof, including all substitutions, divisions, and continuations thereof, and in and to all Letters Patent, that may be granted for said inventions, 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 Assignor if this Assignment had not been made.

And for purpose of obtaining patent protection in any foreign country, the Assignor hereby agrees that, any right, title and interest, in and to all said inventions disclosed in said applications and in and to said applications, and all foreign equivalents thereof can be directly assigned by the inventors to the Assignee without explicit confirmation of the Assignor.

The Assignor agrees that this general assignment is effective from the latest date of execution below.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignor set hereunto its hand and seal this date.

Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Inc.

Hilary A. Reinhardt
/ Hilary A. Reinhardt (Feb 22, 2022 17:21 EST)

Signature

Hilary A. Reinhardt
Print Name

Assistant Secretary
Title of Authorized Signatory

Feb 22, 2022
Date

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignee set hereunto its hand and seal this date.

Cilag GmbH International

Hilary A. Reinhardt
/ Hilary A. Reinhardt (Feb 22, 2022 17:21 EST)

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Hilary A. Reinhardt
Print Name

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Date


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