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SCHEDULE B

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

W. L. Gore & Associates, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having an address at 555 Paper Mill Road, Newark, Delaware 19711 (hereafter, "Assignor"), owns the entire right, title and interest, in, to and under the patents and/or applications for patent listed on Exhibit A attached hereto.

1. Assignment. In exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby irrevocably conveys, transfers and assigns to Edwards Lifesciences Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("Assignee"), and Assignee hereby accepts from Assignor the conveyance, transfer and assignment of, all worldwide right, title and interest in and to the patents and patent applications listed above and all inventions, improvements and discoveries disclosed in such patents and patent applications, as well as in and to any and all issuances, substitutions, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, extensions, reexaminations, renewals, extensions, or applications which claim common priority to or with, one or more patents or patent applications listed above or patents issued thereon, and any patents of confirmation, registration and importation of the same (e.g., whether or not specifically identified above, collectively, "Patents"). Such assignment includes (a) all rights of any kind whatsoever accruing under any of the foregoing provided by applicable law of any jurisdiction, by international treaties and conventions and otherwise throughout the world, relating to any of and all of the Patents, (b) all rights to claim priority in or to, any of the applications or patents identified above, (c) any and all royalties, fees, income, payments and other proceeds now or hereafter due or payable with respect to any and all of the Patents, (d) the full and complete right to file patent applications in the name of Assignee or Assignor, at Assignee's or its designee's election, on the aforesaid inventions, improvements, discoveries and applications in all countries of the world, and (e) any and all choses in action, demands, claims and causes of action, with respect to any of the foregoing, whether accruing before, on and/or after the date hereof, including all rights to and claims for damages, restitution and injunctive and other legal and equitable relief for past, present and future infringement, with the right but no obligation to sue for such legal and equitable relief and to collect, or otherwise recover, any such damages.

2. Recordation and Further Actions. Assignor authorizes the Commissioner for Patents, the Commissioner for Trademarks and any other governmental officials to record and register this Assignment upon request by Assignee. Assignor shall take such steps and actions following the date hereof, including the execution of any documents, files, registrations, or other similar items, to ensure that the Patents is properly assigned to Assignee, or any assignee or successor thereto, at Assignee's expense.

3. Counterparts. This Assignment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall be deemed to be one and the same agreement. A signed copy of this Assignment delivered by facsimile, e-mail, JPEG, PDF or other means of electronic transmission shall be deemed to have the same legal effect as delivery of an original signed copy of this Patent Assignment.

4. Successors and Assigns. This Assignment shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

5. Governing Law. This Assignment and any claim, controversy, dispute or cause of action (whether in contract, tort or otherwise) based upon, arising out of or relating to this Assignment and the transactions contemplated hereby shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the United States and the State of Delaware, without giving effect to any choice or conflict of law provision or rule (whether of the State of Delaware or any other jurisdiction).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Each of Assignor and Assignee have duly executed and delivered this Assignment as of the date indicated below.

"Assignor"

W. L. GORE & ASSOCIATES, INC.

By: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

"Assignee"

EDWARDS LIFESCIENCES CORPORATION

By:  _____

Name: Scott Ullem

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Date: 8 March 2023

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Schedule B - Patent Assignment

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EXHIBIT A
PATENTS AND PATENT APPLICATIONS

| Patent Reference | Country | Patent Application Title | Status | Application Number | Priority Date | Filed Date | Publication Number | Publication Date | Patent No. | Grant Date |
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| 954AU01 | Australia | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Granted | 2016336369 | 2015-10-06 | 2016-10-06 | 2016336369 | 2018-11-21 | | |
| 954AU02 | Australia | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Granted | 2019206121 | 2015-10-06 | 2016-10-06 | 2019206121 | 2020-10-29 | | |
| 954CA01 | Canada | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Granted | 3001191 | 2015-10-06 | 2016-10-06 | 3001191 | 2020-05-05 | | |
| 954CN01 | China | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Granted | 201680071197.5 | 2015-10-06 | 2016-10-06 | 108288739 | 2018-07-17 | 108288739 | 2020-06-26 |
| 954EP01 | European Patent | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Published | 16787617.6 | 2015-10-06 | 2016-10-06 | 3359091 | 2018-08-15 | | |
| 954HK01 | Hong Kong | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Abandoned | 19100207.8 | 2015-10-06 | 2016-10-06 | 1257850 | 2019-11-01 | | |
| 954JP01 | Japan | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Granted | 2018-517776 | 2015-10-06 | 2016-10-06 | 2018-529476 | 2018-10-11 | 6751140 | 2020-08-17 |
| 954US01 | United States of America | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Expired | 62237856 | | 2015-10-06 | | | | |
| 954US02 | United States of America | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Granted | 15/286031 | 2015-10-06 | 2016-10-05 | 2017-0095332 | 2017-04-06 | 10022223 | 2018-07-17 |
| 954US03 | United States of America | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Granted | 16/024252 | 2015-10-06 | 2018-06-29 | 2018-0303611 | 2018-10-25 | 10806576 | 2020-10-20 |
| 954US04 | United States of America | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Published | 17/038022 | 2015-10-06 | 2018-06-29 | 2021-0059817 | 2021-03-04 | | |
| 954WCO1 | Patent Cooperation Treaty | Leaflet Support Devices and Methods of Making and Using The Same | Expired | US2016/055644 | 2016-10-05 | 2016-10-06 | 2017/062548 | 2017-04-13 | | |
| 1506AU01 | Australia | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Granted | 2018334191 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | 2018334191 | 2021-07-22 | | |
| 1506AU02 | Australia | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Abandoned | 2021204801 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | | | | |
| 1506CA01 | Canada | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Allowed | 3071133 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | | | | |
| 1506CA02 | Canada | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Patent Application | 3182971 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | | | | |
| 1506CN01 | China | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Granted | 201880058419.9 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | 111182856 | 2020-05-19 | 201880058419.9 | 2022-04-29 |
| 1506CN02 | China | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Published | 202210398162.1 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | 115566890 | 2023-01-06 | | |
| 1506EP01 | European Patent | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Published | 18779540.6 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | 3681440 | 2020-07-22 | | |
| 1506JP01 | Japan | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Granted | 2020-514720 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | 2020-533113 | 2020-11-19 | 6974601 | 2021-11-08 |
| 1506US01 | United States of America | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Expired | 62/557586 | | 2017-09-12 | | | | |
| 1506US02 | United States of America | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Granted | 16/128651 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | US-2019-0076245-A1 | 2019-03-14 | 10959842 | 2021-03-30 |
| 1506US03 | United States of America | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Published | 17/183014 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | 2021-0177589 | 2021-06-17 | | |
| 1506WCO1 | Patent Cooperation Treaty | LEAFLET FRAME ATTACHMENT FOR PROSTHETIC VALVES | Expired | US2018/050764 | 2017-09-12 | 2018-09-12 | WO 2019/055577 | 2019-03-21 | | |
| 1534AU01 | Australia | MEDICAL VALVE AND LEAFLET PROMOTING TISSUE INGROWTH | Granted | 2018362079 | 2017-10-31 | 2018-09-12 | 2018362079 | 2022-01-06 | | |
| 1534AU02 | Australia | MEDICAL VALVE AND LEAFLET PROMOTING TISSUE INGROWTH | Patent Application | 2021286397 | 2017-10-31 | 2018-09-12 | | | | |
| 1534CA01 | Canada | MEDICAL VALVE AND LEAFLET PROMOTING TISSUE INGROWTH | Patent Application | 3078606 | 2017-10-31 | 2018-09-12 | | | | |
| 1534CN01 | China | MEDICAL VALVE AND LEAFLET PROMOTING TISSUE INGROWTH | Published | 201880070794.5 | 2017-10-31 | 2018-09-12 | 111295158 | 2020-06-16 | | |