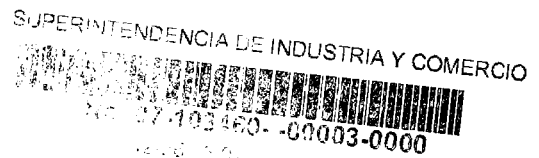


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**Re.: Expediente No. 07 103.460
Fase Nacional Solicitud de Patente PCT
a nombre de
SYNTHES GMBH
Código 011 - 378 - 444**

En relación con la solicitud contenida en el expediente de la referencia y, en particular, para dar respuesta a su último requerimiento hecho dentro del mismo, dentro del término conferido, por medio del presente escrito me permito manifestarle:

1. Acompaño copia certificada del documento donde consta la cesión del derecho a la patente de los Inventores:

- William N. Woodburn, Sr.
- Brian R. Bankoski
- Ralph C. Solitario, Jr.
- Caryn E. Bundra

a favor de la sociedad Synthes (U.S.A.), debidamente firmado, autenticado por Notario Público y legalizado por Apostilla.

2. Acompaño copia certificada del documento donde consta la cesión del derecho a la patente de la sociedad Synthes (U.S.A.) a favor de la

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sociedad solicitante Synthes GmbH, debidamente firmado, autenticado por
Notario Público y legalizado por Apostilla.

Le solicito se sirva agregar este escrito y sus anexos al expediente y continuar
con el trámite de la solicitud.

De Usted Atentamente,

GERMAN CASTILLO GRAU
T.P. No. 2978 del C.S.J.

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(Convention de La Haye du 5 Octobre 1961)

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2. has been signed by **Norman Goodman**

3. acting in the capacity of **County Clerk**

4. bears the seal/stamp of the county of **New York**

Certified

5. At New York, New York 6. the 03rd day of December 2007

7. by Special Deputy Secretary of State, State of New York

8. No. NYC-10292990B

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10. Signature



James Bizzarri

Special Deputy Secretary of State

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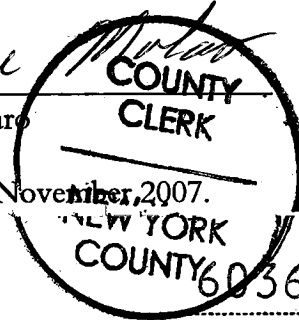
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which covers corresponding foreign rights, is a true copy of the document executed on June 7, 2005 by **William N. Woodburn, Sr.**, executed on June 8, 2005 by **Brian R. Bankoski**, executed on June 7, 2005 by **Ralph C. Solitario, Jr.** and executed on June 7, 2005 by **Caryn E. Bundra to Synthes (U.S.A.)**, a company located in the United States, in connection with U.S. Serial No. 60/659,050, filed March 4, 2005 and U.S. Serial No. 11/368,131, filed March 2, 2006.

Giuseppe Molaro
Giuseppe Molaro



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of November, 2007.

State of New York }
County of New York, } ss.:

I, NORMAN GOODMAN, County Clerk and Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the County of New York, a Court of Record, having by law a seal, DO HEREBY CERTIFY pursuant to the Executive Law of the State of New York, that

whose name is subscribed to the annexed affidavit, deposition, certificate of acknowledgment or proof, was at the time of taking the same a NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of New York duly commissioned, sworn and qualified to act as such; that pursuant to law, a commission or a certificate of his official character, with his autograph signature has been filed in my office; that at the time of taking such proof, acknowledgment or oath, he was duly authorized to take the same; that I am well acquainted with the handwriting of such NOTARY PUBLIC or have compared the signature on the annexed instrument with his autograph signature deposited in my office, and I believe that such signature is genuine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand affixed my official seal this

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Norman Goodman
County Clerk and Clerk of the Supreme Court, New York County

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, WILLIAM N. WOODBURN, SR., residing at 10205 Chevers Drive, Glen Mills, PA 19342; BRIAN R. BANKOSKI, residing at 24 Caversham Drive, West Grove, PA 19390; RALPH C. SOLITARIO, JR., residing at 742 Rosewood Drive, Douglassville, PA 19518; and CARYN E. BUNDRA, residing at 101 Waring Drive, Downingtown, PA 19335, ASSIGNORS, citizens of the United States, are the inventors of the invention in EXPANDABLE ACCESS DEVICE WITH MOBILITY MEMBER for which we have executed an application for a Patent of the United States

- ☐ which is executed on ☐ even date herewith or ☐
☒ which is identified by Jones Day docket no. 8932-1059-888 (232232-888219)
☒ which was filed on March 4, 2005, Application No. 60/659,050
☐ We hereby authorize and request our attorney(s), , at Jones Day, , to insert here in parentheses (Application number, _____ filed _____) the filing date and application number of said application when known.

and WHEREAS, SYNTHES (U.S.A.), ASSIGNEE is desirous of obtaining our entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said ASSIGNORS, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, our entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from said United States application under the Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner for Patents and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year set opposite our respective signatures.

Date 6-7-2005, 2005 William N. Woodburn, Sr. L.S.
 State of Pennsylvania,
 County of Chester) SS.:
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On June 7, 2005, before me, Katherine C. Orse, Notary Public, personally appeared William N. Woodburn, Sr., personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

Notarial Seal
 Katherine C. Orse, Notary Public
 East Goshen Twp., Chester County
 My Commission Expires June 25, 2006
 Member, Pennsylvania Association Of Notaries

Date 3 JUNE, 2005

Brian R Bankoski

L.S.

State of)
) SS.:
County of)

On June 8, 2005, before me, Eileen A. Kerper Notary Public, personally appeared Brian R. Bankoski, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

Eileen A. Kerper

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

Notarial Seal
Eileen A. Kerper, Notary Public
Tredyffrin Twp., Chester County
My Commission Expires Dec. 13, 2008
Member, Pennsylvania Association Of Notaries

Date _____, 2005

Ralph C. Solitario, Jr.

L.S.

State of)
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County of)

On _____, 2005, before me, _____ Notary Public, personally appeared Ralph C. Solitario, Jr., personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

Date _____, 2005

Caryn E. Bundra

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On _____, 2005, before me, _____ Notary Public, personally appeared Caryn E. Bundra, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

Date _____, 2005

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Brian R. Bankoski

State of)
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County of)

On June 11, 2005, before me, Robert A. Kasper Notary Public, personally appeared Brian R. Bankoski, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

Date JUNE 1, 2005

L.S.

Ralph C. Solitario, Jr.

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) SS.:
County of)

On June 7, 2005, before me, Edwin A. Kasper Notary Public, personally appeared Ralph C. Solitario, Jr., personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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Notarial Seal

Eileen A. Kerper, Notary Public

Tredyffrin Twp., Chester County

My Commission Expires Dec. 13, 2008

Member, Pennsylvania Association Of Notaries

Date _____, 2005

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Caryn E. Bunda

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On _____, 2005, before me, _____ Notary Public, personally appeared Caryn E. Bundra, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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Brian R. Bankoski

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Ralph C. Solitario, Jr.

State of _____)
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WITNESS my hand and official seal

Date June 7, 2005

L.S.

Caryn E. Bundra
Caryn E. Bundra

State of Pennsylvania)
) SS.: 137-74-2521
County of Chester)

On June 7, 2005, before me, Katherine C. Orsa Notary Public, personally appeared Caryn E. Bundra, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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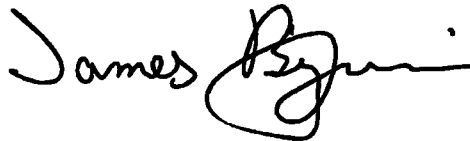
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5. At New York, New York
6. the 03rd day of December 2007
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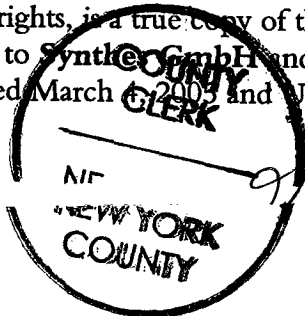
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which covers corresponding foreign rights, is a true copy of the document executed on May 22, 2006 from **Synthes (USA)** to **Synthes GmbH** and **HFSC Company** in connection with U.S. Serial No. 60/659,050, filed March 6, 2005 and U.S. Serial No. 11/368,131, filed March 2, 2006.



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County of New York, } ss.:

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I, NORMAN GOODMAN, County Clerk and Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the County of New York, a Court of Record, having by law a seal, DO HEREBY CERTIFY pursuant to the Executive Law of the State of New York, that

whose name is subscribed to the annexed affidavit, deposition, certificate of acknowledgment or proof, was at the time of taking the same a NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of New York duly commissioned, sworn and qualified to act as such; that pursuant to law, a commission or a certificate of his official character, with his autograph signature has been filed in my office; that at the time of taking such proof, acknowledgment or oath, he was duly authorized to take the same; that I am well acquainted with the handwriting of such NOTARY PUBLIC or have compared the signature on the annexed instrument with his autograph signature deposited in my office, and I believe that such signature is genuine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand affixed my official seal this

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Norman Goodman
County Clerk and Clerk of the Supreme Court, New York County

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Synthes (USA), ASSIGNOR, a Partnership organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and having a place of business at 1302 Wrights Lane East, West Chester, PA 19380, has all right, title and interest in United States Provisional Patent Application Ser. No. 60/659,090, which was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 4, 2005 and United States Patent Application Ser. No. 11/368,131, which was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 2, 2006 entitled EXPANDABLE ACCESS DEVICE WITH MOBILITY MEMBER and all inventions described, disclosed or claimed therein (hereinafter "the Invention");

AND WHEREAS, Synthes GmbH, ASSIGNEE, having a place of business at Himattstrasse 3, 4436 Oberdorf, Switzerland, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest to and under the Invention, including the right to bring an action and recover damages for past infringements, if any, in all geographic locations except the United States and its possessions and territories, Canada and its possessions and territories, the Bahamas, and Bermuda (hereinafter "the Excluded Geographic Locations");

AND WHEREAS, HFSC Company, ASSIGNEE, a Partnership organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and having a place of business at 1302 Wrights Lane East, West Chester, PA 19380, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest to the Invention, including the right to bring an action and recover damages for past infringement, if any, in the Excluded Geographic Locations;

AND WHEREAS, ASSIGNOR, is desirous of assigning its entire right, title and interest to the Invention to the ASSIGNEES, including the right to bring an action and recover damages for past infringement, if any;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said ASSIGNOR, has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEES, their successors, legal representatives and assigns, all ASSIGNOR'S rights, title and interest in the Invention including the right to bring an action and recover damages for past infringement, if any; and all rights, title and interest in any corresponding patent applications and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for said Invention in any country, and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

Invention in all geographic regions except the Excluded Geographic Locations; and HFSC Company shall obtain all said rights, title, and interest in the Invention in the Excluded Geographic Locations;

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AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY covenants and agrees that it has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY further covenants and agrees that it will communicate to the said ASSIGNEES, their successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to it respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEES, their successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention.

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY further covenants and agrees that it has read this Assignment, knows and understands its contents, and comprehends and agrees to all of its terms, conditions and meanings and their significance.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the person executing this Assignment in a representative capacity on behalf of the ASSIGNOR warrants that he/she is fully authorized and empowered to do so and sets his/her hand and seal the day and year set with his/her signature.

ASSIGNOR: Synthes (USA)
Robert M. Rauker Authorized to sign on behalf of Synthes (USA)
Signature: Robert M Rauker
Position/Title: Chief Patent Counsel
Address: 1302 Wrights Lane East
West Chester, Pennsylvania 19380
Date: May 22, 2006

State of ~~Commonwealth~~
of ~~PA~~) SS.:
County of ~~Chester~~)

On May 22, 2006, before me, Carrie A. McPherson, Notary Public, personally appeared Robert M. Rauker, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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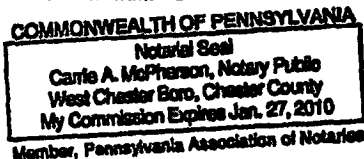
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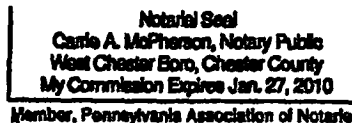


ASSIGNEE: HFSC Company
Robert M. Rauker Authorized to sign on behalf of HFSC Company
Signature: Robert M. Rauker
Position/Title: Chief Patent Counsel
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Carrie A. McPherson



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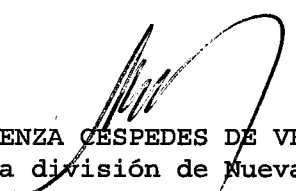
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Apoderado(a) y/o Representante de
SYNTHESES GMBH

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Teniendo en cuenta que la solicitud de privilegio de patente que se tramita bajo el expediente indicado en la referencia, reúne los requisitos de forma establecidos en la Decisión 486 de la Comisión de la Comunidad Andina, el Tratado de Cooperación en Materia de Patentes (PCT), el Reglamento y la Circular Única de la Superintendencia de Industria y Comercio, se envía el extracto de la solicitud a la Oficina de Comunicaciones para efecto de su publicación en la Gaceta de Propiedad Industrial.

Cúmplase
Dado en Bogotá DC,


ALIX CARMENZA CESPEDES DE VERGEL
Jefe de la división de Nuevas Creaciones

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