

File Nos: 8056-GM

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re: ESKA Implants GmbH & Co.


Mark: ESKA & Design - Registration No. 1,449,480

APPOINTMENT OF DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE

To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

ESKA Implants GmbH & Co., owner by assignment of the above-identified trademark registration, hereby appoints the firm of Panitch Schwarze Jacobs & Nadel, 2005 Market Street, 22nd. Floor, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19103-7086, as its domestic representative, upon whom notices or process in proceedings affecting the marks may be served.

ESKA Implants GmbH & Co.



Name: Dr. Hans Grundei
Title: Managing director

Date: 23rd April, 1998

ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK

WHEREAS, Walter Koss OHG, now by change of name ESKA Kunststofftechnik GmbH & Co. formerly Walter Koss, a German company having an address of Industriestrasse, Geisenheim/Rhein, Germany, has used and is using in its business the following trademark:

ESKA and Design - Registration No. 1,449,480


WHEREAS, Eska Implants GmbH & Co. a Federal Republic of Germany corporation having an address of Grapengiesserstrasse 34, 23556 Luebeck, Federal Republic of Germany, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to the said mark together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the mark and the registration thereof;

WHEREAS, it is desired that the assignment of said registration be made of record in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and other appropriate Patent and Trademark Offices.

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound hereby, said Walter Koss OHG hereby assigns to said Eska Implants GmbH & Co. all right, title and interest in and to the said mark, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the said mark, and the registration thereof and all rights to damages and profits, due or accrued, arising out of past infringements of said trademark, and the right to sue for and recover the same.

Walter Koss OHG, now by change of name,
ESKA Kunststofftechnik GmbH & Co.
formerly Walter Koss

By: _____


Dr. Hans Grundel
(managing director)

Dated: May 4, 1998

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