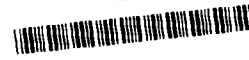


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REGISTERED TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

THIS REGISTERED TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT is made and entered into as of this 7th day of July, 2000, by **DEPUY ORTHOPAEDICS, INC.**, an Indiana corporation having its principal place of business located at 700 Orthopaedic Drive, Warsaw, IN 46581 ("Assignor"), to **DJ ORTHOPEDICS, LLC**, a Delaware limited liability company having its principal place of business located at 2985 Scott Street, Vista, CA 92083 ("Assignee").

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Asset Purchase Agreement dated as of the date hereof, among Assignor's subsidiary, DePuy Orthopaedic Technology, Inc., a Delaware corporation, DonJoy, L.L.C., Assignee's parent, and Assignee, Assignor is transferring certain of its assets, including the Trademarks (as defined below), to Assignee;

WHEREAS, Assignor and Assignee desire that Assignee acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the Trademarks (as defined below), including the right to bring actions for infringement of the Trademarks occurring prior to the date of this Assignment.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. Assignor is and hereby represents and warrants that it is the sole and exclusive owner of the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the trademarks and the applications therefor set forth on Schedule A hereto (the "Trademarks").

2. Assignor has sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign, and transfer to the Assignee, its successors and assigns the Assignor's entire right, title and interest in, to and under the Trademarks (including but not limited to any trademark application therefor), including the right to bring actions for infringements of the Trademarks occurring prior to the date of this Assignment, together with Assignor's business and of the goodwill of the Assignor's business connected with and symbolized by the Trademarks.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignor has caused this Assignment to be signed and executed by its undersigned duly authorized officer.

DEPUY ORTHOPAEDICS, INC.
By: [Signature]
Name: Thomas J. Oberhausen
Title: Vice President

Date: July 7, 2000

STATE OF Indiana)
COUNTY OF Kosciusko) ss;

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I, Karen Brace, a Notary Public, in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Thomas Oberhausen known to me to be Vice President of DePuy Orthopaedics, Inc., appeared before me this day, in person, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the foregoing instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 7th day of July, 2000.

[Signature]
Notary Public

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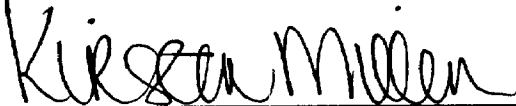
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