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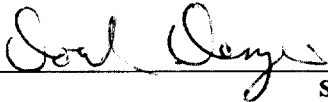
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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: Douglas E. Denninger C/O United States Surgical, a division of TYCO Healthcare Group LP 150 Glover Avenue Norwalk, CT 06856	6. Total number of applications and trademarks involved: [1] 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$40.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account 8. Deposit account number: 21-0550 (Attached duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)
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9. Statement and signature. <i>To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.</i> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div data-bbox="230 1528 500 1583"> Douglas E. Denninger Name of Person Signing </div> <div data-bbox="532 1482 1117 1583">  Signature </div> <div data-bbox="1289 1556 1344 1583"> Date </div> </div>	

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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, United States Surgical Corporation ("USSC") a Delaware corporation having a place of business at 150 Glover Avenue, Norwalk, Connecticut 06856, is the owner of certain trademarks and service marks in various countries throughout the world, including but not limited to those identified in the attached Schedule A (the "Marks"), all registrations, registration pending applications or foreign filings of the Marks, and the goodwill represented by the Marks;

WHEREAS, Sherwood Services AG ("Sherwood"), a Swiss corporation having a place of business at Schwertstrasse 9, CH-8200 Schaffhausen, Switzerland, is desirous of acquiring the Marks identified on the attached Schedule A, all registrations, registration pending applications and/or foreign filings thereof and the good will represented by the Marks;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, USSC assigns to Sherwood, all right, title and interest in and to the Marks, all registrations, registration pending applications or foreign filings thereof, and the goodwill represented by the Marks, together with the right to sue and to collect damages for past infringements of the Marks;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, USSC has caused this assignment to be executed by its duly authorized officer on the date indicated below.

Dated as of 9/26/00

UNITED STATES SURGICAL CORPORATION

By: [Signature]
Alan R. Carlton
Its: Assistant Secretary

The foregoing was acknowledged before me this 26 day of September, 2000, by Alan R. Carlton, Assistant Secretary of United States Surgical Corporation.

Witness my hand and official seal. My commission expires: 3/31/2005
Heather B. Booth
Notary Public Heather B. Booth

ACCEPTED BY: SHERWOOD SERVICES AG

Date: 9/26/00

By: [Signature]
F. Brad Salcedo
Its: Chief Executive Officer

The foregoing was acknowledged before me this 29th day of Sept., 2000, by F. Brad Salcedo, Chief Executive Officer of Sherwood Services AG.

Witness my hand and official seal. My commission expires: 31-12-2000



Notary Public
Schaffhausen, 29. 9. 2000
Town Chancery Schaffhausen
The Secretary:
[Signature]

Trademark	Country	Status	Application Number	Filing Date	Registration Number	Registration Date	Business Unit
RAPIDVAC	AT	Registered	AM5141/98	21-Aug-1998	178965	12-Nov-1998	USS
RAPIDVAC	AU	Registered	770727	19-Aug-1998	770727	19-Aug-1998	USS
RAPIDVAC	BX	Registered	921371	14-Aug-1998	0647023	09-Feb-1998	USS
RAPIDVAC	CA	Pending	887406	13-Aug-1998			USS
RAPIDVAC	CH	Registered	06700/1998	17-Aug-1998	458792	15-Feb-1999	USS
RAPIDVAC	DE	Pending	39846678.5	17-Aug-1998			USS
RAPIDVAC	DK	Registered	VA199803471	18-Aug-1998	VR199803779	17-Nov-1998	USS
RAPIDVAC	ES	Registered	2180975	18-Aug-1998	2180975	22-Feb-1999	USS
RAPIDVAC	FI	Registered	T199802719	12-Aug-1998	214447	15-Jun-1999	USS
RAPIDVAC	FR	Registered	98746905	20-Aug-1998	98746905	29-Jan-1998	USS
RAPIDVAC	GB	Registered	2175257	19-Aug-1998	2175257	19-Feb-1999	USS
RAPIDVAC	IT	Pending	RM98C004383	01-Sep-1998			USS
RAPIDVAC	JP	Registered	709911998	20-Aug-1998	4358653	04-Feb-2000	USS
RAPIDVAC	NO	Registered	9807599	24-Aug-1998	196471	10-Mar-1999	USS
RAPIDVAC	SE	Registered	98-06158	19-Aug-1998	336524	14-Apr-2000	USS
RAPIDVAC	US	Registered	75/442930	02-Mar-1998	2360656	20-Jun-2000	USS