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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies): EPITOPE, INC.

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- Individual(s), Association, General Partnership, Limited Partnership, Corporation-State OREGON, Other

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment, Merger, Security Agreement, Change of Name, Other

Execution Date: September 29, 2000

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Internal Address:

Street Address: 150 Webster Street Bethlehem PA 18015

City: State: Zip:

Individual(s) citizenship

Association

General Partnership

Limited Partnership

Corporation-State Delaware

Other

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached: Yes No

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark Registration No.(s)

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Additional number(s) attached Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Paul J. Kennedy

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6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 40.00

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Paul J. Kennedy

Name of Person Signing

Signature

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Date

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Registrant: OraSure Technologies, Inc.  
Mark: ORASURE and Design  
Reg. No.: 2,102,169  
Reg. Date: September 30, 1997  
Attorney Docket No.: 100805.21

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## APPOINTMENT OF NEW ATTORNEYS

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR TRADEMARKS:

Registrant hereby revokes the power of attorney previously granted to Christopher A. Sidoti, SmithKline Beecham Corporation, Corp. Intellectual Prop. (Trademarks), 709 Swedeland Road - UW2221, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406, and appoints Paul J. Kennedy, Robyn Y. Etricks, Joseph J. Serritella, and Mindy Ellis Schwartz, members of the Bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with offices at Pepper Hamilton, LLP, 3000 Two Logan Square, Eighteenth and Arch Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103-2799 (telephone 215-981-4000), as its attorneys, with full power of substitution and revocation, to maintain this registration and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith.

Please direct all communications with respect to this registration to Paul J. Kennedy (telephone: 215/981-4194; facsimile: 215/981-4750; email: kennedyp@pepperlaw.com).

Respectfully submitted,

ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Date: October 5, 2001By: 

Jack E. Jerrett, Vice President and General Counsel

Office of the Secretary of State

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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, WHICH MERGES:

"EPITOPE, INC.", A OREGON CORPORATION,

WITH AND INTO "ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES, INC." UNDER THE NAME OF "ORASURE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 2000, AT 3:46 O'CLOCK P.M.

A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.



A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Edward J. Freel".

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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DATE: 09-29-00

ARTICLES OF MERGER


OraSure Technologies, Inc., the surviving corporation in a merger effected pursuant to ORS 60.481-60.501, submits the following articles of merger for filing pursuant to ORS 60.494:


1. The names of the constituent corporations in the merger are Epitope, Inc.; an Oregon corporation (Oregon Registry No. 149679-13) and OraSure Technologies, Inc., a Delaware corporation.
2. The surviving corporation in the merger is OraSure Technologies, Inc.
3. A copy of the plan of merger is attached as Exhibit A.
4. The plan of merger was approved by the holders of common stock of OraSure Technologies, Inc. voting as a single voting group, such approval being the only shareholder approval required on the part of OraSure Technologies, Inc. At the date of the shareholder vote, there were 100 shares of common stock of OraSure Technologies, Inc. outstanding, all of which were entitled to be cast with respect to approval of the merger. One hundred shares were voted for the plan of merger and zero shares were voted against approval of the plan of merger.
5. The plan of merger was approved by the holders of common stock of Epitope, Inc. voting as a single voting group, such approval being the only shareholder approval required on the part of Epitope, Inc. At the date of the shareholder vote, there were 17,966,326 shares of common stock of Epitope, Inc. outstanding, 16,778,938 shares of which were entitled to cast votes with respect to approval of the merger. 10,699,098 shares were voted for the plan of merger, 28,415 shares abstained and 65,347 shares were voted against the plan of merger.
6. The merger shall be effective at the date and time of filing of these articles of merger.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned constituent corporations have executed these articles of merger on the 29th day of September, 2000.

Epitope, Inc.

OraSure Technologies, Inc.

By:   
Name: Robert D. Thompson  
Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

By:   
Name: Robert D. Thompson  
Title: Chief Executive Officer

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