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Portex Limited

Individuals Association
 General Partnership Limited Partnership
 Corporation-State of
 Other: United Kingdom corporation

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
Portex, Inc.
10 Bowman Drive
Keene, New Hampshire 03431

3. Nature of conveyance:
 Assignment Merger
 Security Agreement Change of Name
 Other:

Execution Date: September 18, 2002

Individual(s) citizenship Association
 General Partnership Limited Partnership
 Corporation-State of Delaware
 Other:

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached
 Yes No
(Designations must be separate document from Assignment)

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

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

A. Trademark Application No.(s)/ Mark(s) B. Trademark Reg. No.(s)/Mark(s)

75/696,279 - CSECURE

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
Name: Sandra Epp Ryan
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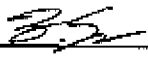
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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Portex Limited, formerly SIMS Portex Limited, a United Kingdom corporation having a principal place of business at Boundary Road, Hythe, Kent CT21 6JL United Kingdom (hereinafter "Assignor"), is the record owner of United States Trademark Registration No. 2,618,532 for the trademark CSECURE for "spinal and epidural needle assemblies;"

WHEREAS, Assignor warrants and represents that it is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in said trademark and said trademark registration, free and clear of any liens and encumbrances; and

WHEREAS, Portex, Inc., formerly SIMS Portex Inc., a Delaware corporation having a principal place of business at 10 Bowman Drive, Keene, New Hampshire 03431 USA (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to said trademark and said trademark registration;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns to Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to said trademark and said trademark registration, together with the goodwill of the business associated with or symbolized by said trademark. The undersigned agrees to take all actions, execute additional documents and to otherwise cooperate as requested by Assignee as is necessary or reasonable to assign, transfer, perfect, record, maintain, register or enforce the rights of Assignee in and to said trademark and said trademark registration.

PORTEX LIMITED

Date: SEPTEMBER 18, 2002

By 

JONATHAN MCNEILL FLINT
(Please print name and title)
AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY

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