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<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning documents should be mailed:</p> <p>Name: <u>Connie R. Heikkila, Paralegal</u></p> <p>Internal Address: <u>Lindquist & Vennum, P.L.L.P.</u></p> <p>_____</p> <p>Street Address: <u>4200 IDS Center, 80 So. 8th Street</u></p> <p>_____</p> <p>City: <u>Minneapolis</u> State: <u>MN</u> Zip: <u>55402</u></p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: <u>1</u></p> <p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$ <u>40.00</u></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account</p> <p>8. Deposit account number: <u>50-0837</u></p> <p>(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)</p>
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WHEREAS, Centerpulse Dental Inc. (hereinafter "Assignor"), a Delaware corporation with its principle place of business located at 1900 Aston Avenue, Carlsbad, CA 92008, is the owner of the following United States Trademark Registration:

<u>Mark</u>	<u>Registration Number</u>	<u>Date of Registration</u>
PUROS	2654914	November 26, 2002

WHEREAS, Centerpulse USA Inc., (hereinafter "Assignee"), a Delaware corporation, whose address is 12 Greenway Plaza, Suite 1000, Houston, TX 77046, is desirous of acquiring the right, title and interest in and to the mark PUROS, owned by Assignor, including the United States registration of the mark (hereinafter "Assigned Mark");

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor, has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the United States in and to the Assigned Mark, together with the goodwill and other incidents of the business associated with the Assigned Mark.

EXECUTED this 31st day of March, 2003.

By: 

 David S. Wise, Secretary