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CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Alveolus, Inc.		03/10/2009	CORPORATION:

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Merit Medical Systems, Inc.
Street Address:	1600 West Merit Parkway
City:	South Jordan
State/Country:	UTAH
Postal Code:	84095
Entity Type:	CORPORATION:

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Serial Number:	78905912	SMARTZONE

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Date:	04/17/2009

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Alveolus, Inc., a North Carolina corporation having a principal place of business at 9013 Perimeter Woods Drive, Suite A, Charlotte, NC 28216 ("Assignor"), is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the Intellectual Property (defined as the patents, patent applications, and the inventions or improvements disclosed in the patents and patent applications; trademarks, including but not limited to the registered trademarks, trademark applications, and all of the goodwill associated therewith and symbolized thereby, including all common law rights associated with the trademarks by virtue of its use in commerce; and the domain name identified in the attached Schedule (the "Intellectual Property")) and has the right to make this assignment; and

WHEREAS, Assignor has agreed to assign and transfer its entire right, title and interest in and to the Intellectual Property to Merit Medical Systems, Inc., a Utah corporation having a principal place of business at 1600 West Merit Parkway, South Jordan, Utah 84095 ("Assignee");

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of the promises herein and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor does hereby sell, convey, transfer and assign and deliver unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the Intellectual Property; and any and all other patent applications, both United States and foreign, which the undersigned has filed or may file, either solely or jointly with others, on said inventions or improvements, and in any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries, which may be obtained on any of said applications, and in and to any and all renewals, reissue or extension of such patents; and further assigns to said Assignee all of the goodwill associated with and symbolized by the trademarks, including but not limited to the registered trademarks and trademark applications, including all common law rights associated with the trademarks by virtue of its use in commerce, and in and to any and all renewals thereof; and further assigns to said Assignee the priority right provided by the International Convention, together with all rights to sue and recover for past infringement thereof, to have and to hold forever for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of Assignee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused this Assignment to be executed by a duly authorized officer on the 10th day of March, 2009.

ALVEOLUS, INC.

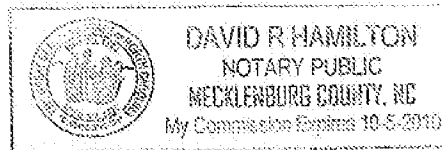
By: David A. Chazanovitz
Name: DAVID A CHAZANOVITZ
Title: PRES & CEO

State of

County of

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 9th day of
MARCH, 2009 by DAVID A. CHAZANOVITZ


NOTARY PUBLIC



SCHEDULE

Issued U.S. Patents

Title	Patent No.	Date Issued	Reel/Frame Number of Earlier Assignments
Instrument For Interventional Flexible Tracheoscopy/Bronchoscopy	5,803,080	08-Sep-98	008396/0342 010832/0187 012831/0167 012937/0191
Stent For Placement In A Body Tube	5,674,277	07-Oct-97	007781/0360 012745/0287 013625/0545 014301/0665
Stent For Placement In A Body Vessel	5,814,063	29-Sep-98	007617/0942 012729/0481 013625/0545 014301/0661
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	7,252,680	07-Aug-07	015034/0025

Issued Foreign Patents

Title	Patent No.	Date Issued	Jurisdiction
Instrument For Interventional Flexible Tracheoscopy/Bronchoscopy	19547538	23-Sep-99	Germany
Removable Stent And Method Of Using The Same	2454871	30-Sep-08	Canada
Stent To Be Set Inside A Body Vessel	4446036.8-09	02-Jun-99	Germany
Stent To Be Set Inside A Body Vessel	59510558	19-Feb-03	Germany
Stent To Be Set Inside A Body Vessel	3734505	28-Oct-05	Japan
Stent For Placement In A Body Tube	59508098.7	29-Mar-00	Germany
Stent For Placement In A Body Tube	2144657	16-Jun-00	Spain
Stent For Placement In A Body Tube	746269	29-Mar-00	France
Stent For Placement In A Body Tube	746269	29-Mar-00	Italy

Title	Patent No.	Date Issued	Jurisdiction
Stent For Placement In A Body Tube	2933721	28-May-99	Japan
Stent For Placement In A Body Tube	746269	29-Mar-00	UK
Medical Appliance Delivery Apparatus And Method Of Use	2003301732	04-Oct-07	Australia
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	2002304888	13-Jan-06	Australia
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	2443899	21-Aug-07	Canada
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	251060	31-Oct-07	Mexico
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	528706	13-Dec-07	New Zealand
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	2257870	10-Aug-05	Russia
Lumen-Measuring Devices And Methods	2004257729	24-Jul-08	Australia
Tracheal Stents	19937638	02-Nov-06	Germany
Instruments For Implanting Vascular Prosthesis	10148185	11-Aug-05	Germany
Stent	10300475	13-Nov-08	Germany
Stent	20308672.40	04-Sep-03	Germany
Stent	20312113.90	25-Sep-03	Germany
Atraumatic Stent Ends	20318351.70	12-Feb-04	Germany
Stents	40305130.40	27-Jan-04	Germany
Stents	000108766-0001	01-Dec-03	EU
Stents	000108766-0002	01-Dec-03	EU
Stents	000108766-0003	01-Dec-03	EU
Stents	000108766-0004	01-Dec-03	EU
Stents	000108766-0005	01-Dec-03	EU
Removable Biliary Stent	102004012981	02-Jan-09	Germany

Pending U.S. Patent Applications

Title	Appl. No.	Date Filed	Reel/Frame Number of Earlier Assignments
Removable Stent And Method Of Using The Same	10/190,770	05-Jul-02	014706/0900 012162/0218 014707/0012
Medical Appliance Deployment Apparatus And Method Of Use	11/357,366	26-Oct-02	013689/0460 016248/0272
Medical Appliance Optical Delivery And Deployment Apparatus And Method	10/404,197	31-Mar-03	014047/0220 014060/0921
Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making The Same	10/288,615	05-Nov-02	014071/0175
Bifurcated Medical Appliance Delivery Apparatus And Method	10/427,539	01-May-03	014340/0703
Lumen-Measuring Devices And Method	10/618,223	11-Jul-03	014340/0788
Instrument For Implanting Vascular Prosthesis	10/491,210	26-Mar-04	016434/0331
Therapeutic Medical Appliance, Delivery And Method Of Use	10/567,508	07-Feb-06	020153/0458
Removable Stent With Suture Assisted Removability	10/573,950	29-Mar-07	019042/0687
Removable Stent	10/573,948	30-Mar-06	019232/0812
Removable Biliary Stent	10/674,972	30-Sep-03	014340/0687
Covered Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making The Same	10/669,450	24-Sep-03	017349/0859
Stent	11/521,720	15-Sep-06	018984/0052
Active Stent	11/854,234	05-Jun-08	020515/0240
Differential Covering And Coating Methods	10/718,217	20-Nov-03	014707/0233
Delivery Device With Viewing Window And Associated Method	11/128,509	13-May-05	016683/0648
Implantable Device Delivery System Handle And Method Of Use	10/585,430	07-Jul-06	014707/0268
Stent Removal Repositioning Device And Associated Method	11/577,858	24-Oct-05	020355/0180
Stent Removal And Repositioning Aid And Associated Method	11/577,859	24-Apr-07	020259/0969

Title	Appl. No.	Date Filed	Reel/Frame Number of Earlier Assignments
Esophageal Stent And Associated Method	11/410,426	25-Apr-06	017920/0609
Duodenum Stent And Associated Method	11/400,630	27-Jul-05	018049/0838
Drainage Stent And Associated Method	11/433,024	12-May-06	018788/0692
Delivery Device With Anchoring Features And Associated Method	11/432,862	12-May-06	018788/0696
Delivery Device With Shortened Inner Tube And Associated Method	11/432,964	12-May-06	018409/0214
Lumen-Measuring Devices And Method	11/252,363	17-Oct-05	017753/0228
Stent, Stent Removal And Repositioning Device And Associated Method	11/496,910	16-Mar-04	018374/0374
Medical Appliance Reduced Deployment Force Apparatus And Method	61/090,139	19-Aug-08	022039/0237

Pending Foreign Patent Applications

Title	Appl. No.	Date Filed	Jurisdiction
Removable Stent And Method Of Using The Same	02749974.80	05-Jul-02	EU
Medical Appliance Deployment Apparatus And Method Of Use	2503563	25-Oct-03	Canada
Medical Appliance Deployment Apparatus And Method Of Use	03809965.10	25-Oct-03	EU
Medical Appliance Deployment Apparatus And Method Of Use	2004-548493	25-Oct-03	Japan
Medical Appliance Optical Delivery And Deployment Apparatus And Method	2004229342	30-Mar-04	Australia
Medical Appliance Optical Delivery And Deployment Apparatus And Method	2521101.00	30-Mar-04	Canada
Medical Appliance Optical Delivery And Deployment Apparatus And Method	04759040.10	30-Mar-04	EU
Medical Appliance Optical Delivery And Deployment Apparatus And Method	2006-509470	30-Mar-04	Japan
Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making The Same	2003284180	18-Apr-05	Australia
Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making The Same	2505121	27-Oct-03	Canada
Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making The Same	03776570.80	27-Oct-03	EU

Title	Appl. No.	Date Filed	Jurisdiction
Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making The Same	2004-551583	27-Oct-03	Japan
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	10118944.30	18-Apr-01	Germany
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	02732374.0	05-Apr-02	EU
Removable, Essentially Cylindrical Implants	2002-580844	05-Apr-02	Japan
Bifurcated Medical Appliance Delivery Apparatus And Method	2004237583	30-Mar-04	Australia
Bifurcated Medical Appliance Delivery Apparatus And Method	2523715	30-Mar-04	Canada
Bifurcated Medical Appliance Delivery Apparatus And Method	04760508.40	30-Mar-04	EU
Bifurcated Medical Appliance Delivery Apparatus And Method	2006-509469	30-Mar-04	Japan
Lumen-Measuring Devices And Methods	2531548	09-Jul-04	Canada
Lumen-Measuring Devices And Methods	04778005.10	09-Jul-04	EU
Lumen-Measuring Devices And Methods	2006-520248	09-Jul-04	Japan
Instrument For Implanting Vascular Prostheses	02745062.60	18-May-02	EU
Therapeutic Medical Appliance, Delivery And Method Of Use	2004263171	09-Aug-04	Australia
Therapeutic Medical Appliance, Delivery And Method Of Use	2534364	09-Aug-04	Canada
Therapeutic Medical Appliance, Delivery And Method Of Use	04780509.80	09-Aug-04	EU
Removable Stent	2004277962	29-Sep-04	Australia
Removable Stent	2540372	29-Sep-04	Canada
Removable Stent	04789183.30	29-Sep-04	EU
Removable Stent	2006-534027	29-Sep-04	Japan
Removable Stent	2004277968	29-Sep-04	Australia
Removable Stent	2539931	29-Sep-04	Canada
Removable Stent	04789198.10	29-Sep-04	EU
Removable Biliary Stent	2004277973	29-Sep-04	Australia

Title	Appl. No.	Date Filed	Jurisdiction
Removable Biliary Stent	2540676	29-Sep-04	Canada
Removable Biliary Stent	04785241.30	29-Sep-04	EU
Covered Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making Same	2004275794	24-Sep-04	Australia
Covered Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making Same	2540148	24-Sep-04	Canada
Covered Stent With Geometry Determined Functionality And Method Of Making Same	04784942.70	24-Sep-04	EU
Stent	2004317383	11-Dec-04	Australia
Stent	2560001	11-Dec-04	Canada
Stent	04802924.30	11-Dec-04	EU
Stent	2007-503183	11-Dec-04	Japan
Active Stent	2004277970	29-Sep-04	Australia
Active Stent	2540120	29-Sep-04	Canada
Active Stent	04785238.90	29-Sep-04	EU
Differential Covering And Coating Methods	2004319771	20-Nov-04	Australia
Differential Covering And Coating Methods	2546809	20-Nov-04	Canada
Differential Covering And Coating Methods	04822000.80	20-Nov-04	EU
Delivery Device With Viewing Window And Associated Method	2608082	11-Apr-06	Canada
Delivery Device With Viewing Window And Associated Method	06824697.40	11-Apr-06	EU
Implantable Delivery System Handle And Method Of Use	2005206751	07-Jan-05	Australia
Implantable Delivery System Handle And Method Of Use	2552676	07-Jan-05	Canada
Implantable Delivery System Handle And Method Of Use	05705271.40	07-Jan-05	EU
Implantable Delivery System Handle And Method Of Use	2006-549437	07-Jan-05	Japan
Stent Removal And Repositioning Device And Associated Method	2585219	24-Oct-05	Canada
Stent Removal And Repositioning Device And Associated Method	05818752.70	24-Oct-05	EU

Title	Appl. No.	Date Filed	Jurisdiction
Stent Removal And Repositioning Aid And Associated Method	2585347	25-Dec-05	Canada
Stent Removal And Repositioning Aid And Associated Method	05821178	25-Dec-05	EU
Esophageal Stent And Associated Method	2606158	25-Apr-06	Canada
Esophageal Stent And Associated Method	06751421.60	25-Apr-06	EU
Duodenal Stent And Associated Method	2603570	06-Apr-06	Canada
Duodenal Stent And Associated Method	06749556.40	06-Apr-06	EU
Duodenal Stent And Associated Method	102005016103	08-April-05	Germany
Drainage Stent And Associated Method	2608357	12-May-06	Canada
Drainage Stent And Associated Method	06770398.30	12-May-06	EU
Delivery Device With Anchoring Features And Associated Method	2608356	12-May-06	Canada
Delivery Device With Anchoring Features And Associated Method	06770397.50	12-May-06	EU
Delivery Device Allowing Visual Inspection Of An Intravascular Site	2608355	12-May-06	Canada
Delivery Device Allowing Visual Inspection Of An Intravascular Site	06770396.70	12-May-06	EU
Wave Stent	102005019649.7-04	26-Apr-05	Germany

Registered U.S. Trademarks

Registration No.	Registration No.	Date Registered
INSPIRING THE BREATH OF LIFE	2,875,558	17-Aug-04
ALVEOLUS	2,748,874	05-Aug-03
ALVEOLUS/INSPIRING THE BREATH OF LIFE	2,890,098	28-Sep-04
AERO	3,308,201	09-Oct-07
AERO-DV	3,230,604	17-Apr-07
MAXXWIRE	3,155,162	10-Oct-06
ALIMAXX-E	3,181,783	05-Dec-06
ALIMAXX-E DV	3,181,784	05-Dec-06
ALIMAXX-B	3,532,425	11-Nov-08
AEROSIZER	3,406,790	01-Apr-08

Pending U.S. Trademarks

Trademark	Appl. No.	Date Filed
ENDOVENTIONS	78/491,877	29-Sep-04
EAZEWIRE	78/541,957	04-Jan-05
ALIMAXX	78/579,885	03-Mar-05
ALIMAXX C	78/579,897	03-Mar-05
ENDOVENTIONS (DESIGN)	78/593,348	23-Mar-05
ENDOVENTIONS/ "ENRICHING LIVES THROUGH INNOVATION"	78/593,444	23-Mar-05
ENDOVENTIONS/ "ENRICHING LIVES THROUGH INNOVATION"	78/593,394	23-Mar-05
AEROMAXX	78/593,607	23-Mar-05
SMARTZONE	78/905,912	12-Jun-06

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