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<p>4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):</p> <p>A. Trademark Application No.(s) 75/566,984</p> <p>B. Trademark Registration No.(s)</p> <p>Additional numbers attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>	
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Dr. Helbig GmbH & Co. Orthopädische Produkte KG

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- General Partnership
- Corporation-Germany
- Other _____
- Association
- Limited Partnership

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

3. Nature of conveyance:

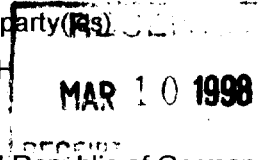
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- Assignment
- Security Agreement
- Other _____
- Merger
- Change of Name

Execution Date: March 2, 1998

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: ANITA Dr. Helbig GmbH
 Address: Grafenstr. 23
 D-83098, Brannenburg, Federal Republic of Germany



- Individual(s) citizenship _____
- Association _____
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- Limited Partnership _____
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- Other _____

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A. Trademark Application No.(s) 74/566,984

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APPLICANT: DR. HELBIG GMBH & CO. ORTHOPÄDISCHE PRODUKTE KG
SERIAL NO: 74/566,984
FILED: August 29, 1994
CLASS: 10
MARK: TRITEX

STATEMENT

1. Dr. Helbig GmbH & Co. Orthopädische Produkte KG filed Application No. 74/566,984 on August 29, 1994. In this application, when filed, applicant was identified as Dr. Helbig GmbH & Co. Orthopädische Produkte KG, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Germany, which has its principal place of business and corporate situs at Grafenstr. 23, D-83098 Brannenburg, Federal Republic of Germany.

2. The legal status of applicant is corrected to read: Dr. Helbig GmbH & Co. Orthopädische Produkte KG, a limited partnership consisting of a partner of unlimited liability, Dr. Helbig Verwaltungsgesellschaft mit beschränkter Haftung, and a partner of limited liability, Dr. Helbig GmbH & Co. Objekt Frundsberg KG.

3. Limited partner, Dr. Helbig GmbH & Co. Objekt Frundsberg KG, has assigned its ownership interest in the limited partnership to the unlimited partner, Dr. Helbig Verwaltungsgesellschaft mit beschränkter Haftung.

4. It is understood by the parties that all rights to the trademark of this application and the application itself are now owned by Dr. Helbig Verwaltungsgesellschaft mit beschränkter Haftung by operation of law.

5. Unlimited partner, Dr. Helbig Verwaltungsgesellschaft mit beschränkter Haftung, has changed its name to ANITA Dr. Helbig GmbH of Grafenstr. 23, D-83098 Brannenburg, Federal Republic of Germany.

Dr. Helbig GmbH & Co. Objekt Frundsberg KG.,
Limited Partner

By: _____

Name:

Title:

Georg Weber-Unger

Managing Director

Date: March, 2nd., 1998

Dr. Helbig Verwaltungsgesellschaft mit
beschränkter Haftung,
Unlimited Partner

By: _____

Name:

Title:

Georg Weber-Unger

Managing Director

Date: March, 2nd, 1998

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to our phone visit today we are resubmitting the statement dated March 2, 1998, previously submitted on March 5, 1998, and returned to us by letter dated May 11 from Jeevon Jones, Examiner.

In paragraph 3 of the transmittal form, only the assignment block has been checked.

We appreciate your assistance with this matter.

Respectfully submitted,




Bruce W. McKee, Registration No. 19,651
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