

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST AND THE GOODWILL		
CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
R&B Surgical Solutions LLC		07/08/2005	CORPORATION: DELAWARE
RECEIVING PARTY DATA			
Name:	NuVasive, Inc.		
Street Address:	4545 Towne Centre Court		
City:	San Diego		
State/Country:	CALIFORNIA		
Postal Code:	92121		
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE		
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1			
Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
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ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK RIGHTS

WHEREAS, R&B Surgical Solutions LLC., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at 2530 Superior Avenue, Ste. 730, Cleveland, Ohio 44114, has adopted, used, is using and is the owner of the following trademark now registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

Trademark SMARTPLATE Registration No. 2,962,521

Date of Registration June 14,2005

WHEREAS, NuVasive, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at 4545 Towne Centre Court, San Diego, California 92121, is desirous of acquiring said registered trademark,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, (ASSIGNOR NAME) hereby assigns to (ASSIGNOR NAME) all right, title and interest in the United States in and to said trademark together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademark and registration thereof.

Signed at Cleveland, Ohio
this 8th day of July, 2005.

ASSIGNOR NAME

By: [Signature]
Name: JOHN REYNOLDS
Title: CEO

STATE OF Ohio)
COUNTY OF Cuyahoga) ss.

The above named , known to me, appeared before me this 8th day of July, 2005, and acknowledged that the foregoing instrument was executed as his free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Nanci S. Madorsky
Notary Public

(Notarial Seal)

My commission expires **NANCIL MADORSKY**
Notary Public, State of Ohio, Cuy. Cty.
My commission expires Apr. 26, 2010