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## **USPTO Issues JMEA Corporation a Third Patent for Disc Annulus Repair System**

ROCKVILLE, MD, December 15, 2009 (JMEA Corporation) -- On December 15, 2009, JMEA Corporation was granted a third patent by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) for its proprietary technology to minimally invasively repair the disc annulus and to repair other tissue. This patent application was originally filed on April 29, 2005 and is part of an initial set of patent applications filed related to this technology. In addition to this issued patent, JMEA continues to pursue a wide ranging portfolio of patent applications in areas ranging from spine to bone fusion technology to joint replacement.

To view this patent, please go to <a href="http://www.pat2pdf.org">http://www.pat2pdf.org</a> and search on 7632313, the patent number.

"This has been an outstanding year for us on the patent front. We continue to make progress and build our patent portfolio with approximately 20 other patent applications," said Dr. Mohit Bhatnagar, Chairman and Chief Medical Officer of JMEA. "With this patent, we are extending our IP protection for this technology. We're continuing the product development process and looking at our business options for this technology."

## About JMEA

JMEA is an early stage medical device company focused on the development and commercialization of orthopedic implants. JMEA is developing proprietary technologies along with an innovative business model. Currently, JMEA has patent applications filed and pending in the spine, sports medicine, knee arthroplasty and bone fixation technology areas.