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Restorative Physiology Group announces Notice of Allowance for US Patent on ThermalMethod™ technology

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Restorative Physiology Group announced today Notice of Allowance of United States Patent Application 20060030933 “Thermal Transition Methods and Devices”. This patent describes a proprietary method for the controlled, ordered, and sequential transition of a shape memory device. It is broadly applicable across a range of medical and non-medical technologies, most particularly in the development of least invasive spine, orthopaedic, and cardiovascular implants.

Dr. Michael S. Kitchen, founding partner of Restorative Physiology, commenting on the patent, “The ThermalMethod™ technology for implant delivery is the foundation of our business. The allowance of this broad method patent and of several novel implant designs disclosed therein allows us to proceed with confidence in the growth of our spine business. It also provides additional opportunities to leverage our technology into other areas through licensing or other business models.”

About Restorative Physiology Group

Restorative Physiology Group, LLC is actively engaged in the design and development of implantable devices for treating diseases of the human spine. The Company’s proprietary ThermalMethod™ technology makes it possible to implant surgical devices that are significantly larger than the access required to place them.

Additional information about the company and its technology can be found at www.restorativephysiology.com

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