UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): July 19, 2016

DELCATH SYSTEMS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) 001-16133 (Commission File Number) 06-1245881 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

1633 Broadway, Suite 22C, New York, New York 10019 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

> (212) 489-2100 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

> > NONE

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

As described in Item 5.07 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, on July 19, 2016, at its 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders (the "Annual Meeting"), the stockholders of Delcath Systems, Inc. (the "Company") approved the Amended and Restated 2009 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan").

The Plan was amended (i) to increase the number of our shares of the Company's common stock with respect to which grants may be made under the plan by 1,700,000 shares to 3,206,250 shares, (ii) eliminate provisions that include shares withheld from plan participants by the Company in connection with the cashless exercise of stock options, settlement of Stock Appreciation Rights or in satisfaction of tax withholding obligations as available for reissuance under the plan, (iii) establish a minimum one-year vesting period for grants under the plan, (iv) re-approve the plan, extending its termination date to the day preceding the tenth anniversary of the Annual Meeting unless the plan is further re-approved prior to such date and (v) make certain other technical or administrative changes.

For a description of the terms and conditions of the Plan, as amended and restated and approved by stockholders on July 19, 2016, see "Description of the 2009 Plan as Proposed to be Amended" under "Proposal 4: Approval of Amendment to the 2009 Stock Incentive Plan" in the proxy statement for the Company's Annual Meeting, which description is incorporated herein by reference. The foregoing description of the amendment and restatement of the Plan and the description of the Plan contained in the proxy statement are each qualified in their entirety by reference to the full text of the Plan, as amended and restated, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

As described in Item 5.07 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, at the Annual Meeting, the stockholders of the Company approved two amendments to the Company's amended and restated certificate of incorporation, including an amendment to effect a reverse stock split of the Company's common stock at one of six ratios of 1-for-10, 1-for-12, 1-for-14, 1-for-16, 1-for-20, in the discretion of its board of directors (the "Board of Directors"), and an amendment to increase the number of authorized shares of common stock from 170,000,000 to 500,000,000.

On July 19, 2016, the Board determined to effect a reverse stock split of the Company's common stock at a 1-for-16 ratio and authorized the filing of each amendment. The reverse stock split will become effective as of 9:00 a.m. EDT on July 21, 2016, at which time every 16 shares of issued and outstanding common stock will be automatically converted into one issued and outstanding share of common stock.

The foregoing description of each amendment is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of each amendment, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 3.1 and Exhibit 3.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

The Annual Meeting was held on July 19, 2016. Set forth below are the final voting results for each of the proposals submitted to a vote of the shareholders.

1. The nominees for election as Class I Directors, each for a three year term, were elected based upon the following vote:

Nominees	Votes For	Withheld Authority	Broker Non-Votes
William D. Rueckert	7,069,882	802,749	10,347,757
Marco Taglietti	7,070,676	801,955	10,347,757

2. The proposal to approve, on an advisory basis, the compensation of our named executive officers ("say-on-pay"), was approved based upon the following votes:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
5,834,915	1,894,225	143,491	10,347,757

3. The proposal to ratify the appointment of Grant Thornton, LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2016 was approved based upon the following votes:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
17,382,455	614,005	223,927	-0-

4. The proposal to adopt an amendment to the Company's 2009 Stock Incentive Plan to (i) to increase the number of our shares of the Company's common stock with respect to which grants may be made under the plan by 1,700,000 shares to 3,206,250 shares, (ii) eliminate provisions that include shares withheld from plan participants by the Company in connection with the cashless exercise of stock options, settlement of Stock Appreciation Rights or in satisfaction of tax withholding obligations as available for reissuance under the plan, (iii) establish a minimum one-year vesting period for grants under the plan, (iv) re-approve the plan, extending its termination date to the day preceding the tenth anniversary of the Annual Meeting unless the plan is further re-approved prior to such date and (v) make certain other technical or administrative changes was approved based upon the following votes:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
6,224,060	1,611,894	36,677	10,347,757

5. The proposal to approve an amendment to the Company's amended and restated certificate of incorporation to effect a reverse stock split of the Company's common stock at one of six ratios of 1-for-10, 1-for-12, 1-for-14, 1-for-16, 1-for-18 or 1-for-20, in the discretion of the Board, and to grant authorization to the Board to determine, in its sole discretion, whether to implement the reverse stock split, as well as its specific timing was approved based upon the following votes:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
14,818,429	3,321,427	80,528	-0-

6. The proposal to approve, for purposes of complying with NASDAQ Listing Rule 5635(d), the issuance of shares of the Company's common stock underlying senior secured convertible notes and related Series C Warrants issued by the Company pursuant to the terms of that certain Securities Purchase Agreement, dated June 6, 2016, between the Company and the investors named therein, without giving effect to the exchange cap in such senior secured convertible notes in an amount that may be equal to or exceed 20% of our common stock outstanding before the issuance of such senior secured convertible notes and related Series C Warrants was approved based upon the following votes:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
6,883,503	949,111	40,017	10,347,757

7. The proposal to approve an amendment to the Company's amended and restated certificate of incorporation to increase the number of authorized shares of common stock from 170,000,000 to 500,000,000 was approved based upon the following votes:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
12,980,117	5,153,948	86,320	-0-

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description
3.1	Amendment, dated July 20, 2016, to Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to Effectuate Reverse Stock Split
3.2	Amendment, dated July 20, 2016, to Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to Increase Number of Authorized Shares of Common Stock
10.1	Deleath Systems, Inc. Amended and Postated 2000 Stock Incentive Plan

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

DELCATH SYSTEMS, INC.

By: /s/ Jennifer K. Simpson, Ph.D.

Name: Jennifer K. Simpson, Ph.D.

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

Dated: July 20, 2016

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Exhibit 3.1

Amendment to Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to Effectuate Reverse Stock Split

Pursuant to Section 242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware

DELCATH SYSTEMS, INC., a Delaware corporation (hereinafter called the "Corporation"), does hereby certify as follows:

FIRST: Upon the filing and effectiveness (the "Effective Time") pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "DGCL") of this Certificate of Amendment to the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation, the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph at the end of Article FOURTH:

"Each 16 shares of the Corporation's common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock"), issued and outstanding or held by the Corporation in treasury stock immediately prior to the Effective Time shall automatically be combined into one (1) validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable share of Common Stock without any further action by the Corporation or the holder thereof, subject to the treatment of fractional interests as described below. Notwithstanding the immediately preceding sentence, no fractional shares will be issued in connection with the reverse stock split. Stockholders of record who otherwise would be entitled to receive fractional shares, will be entitled to rounding up of their fractional share to the nearest whole share. No stockholders will receive cash in lieu of fractional shares. Each certificate that immediately prior to the Effective Time represented shares of Common Stock ("Old Certificates") shall thereafter represent that number of shares of Common Stock into which the shares of Common Stock represented by the Old Certificate shall have been combined, subject to the adjustment for fractional shares as described above."

SECOND: The foregoing amendment was duly adopted in accordance with Section 242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

THIRD: This Certificate of Amendment shall become effective as of July 21, 2016 at 9:00 a.m., New York City time.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, DELCATH SYSTEMS, INC., has caused this certificate to be duly executed in its corporate name this 20th Day of July, 2016.

By:/s/ Jennifer K. Simpson, Ph.D.Title:President and Chief Executive OfficerName:Jennifer K. Simpson, Ph.D.

STATE OF DELAWARE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

The corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware does hereby certify:

FIRST: That at a meeting of the Board of Directors of

Delcath Systems, Inc.

resolutions were duly adopted setting forth a proposed amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation of said corporation, declaring said amendment to be advisable and calling a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation for consideration thereof. The resolution setting forth the proposed amendment is as follows:

RESOLVED, that the Certificate of Incorporation of this corporation be amended by changing the first paragraph of Article thereof numbered "Fourth" so that, as amended, said first paragraph of such Article shall be and read as follows:

FOURTH: The total number of all classes of shares of stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is five hundred million (500,000,000) shares of Common Stock with a par value of \$0.01 per share.

SECOND: That thereafter, pursuant to resolution of its Board of Directors, a special meeting of the stockholders of said corporation was duly called and held upon notice in accordance with Section 222 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware at which meeting the necessary number of shares as required by statute were voted in favor of the amendment.

THIRD: That said amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the provisions of Section 242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said corporation has caused this certificate to be signed this 20th day of July, 2016.

By: /s/ Jennifer K. Simpson, Ph.D.

Title:President and Chief Executive OfficerName:Jennifer K. Simpson, Ph.D.

DELCATH SYSTEMS, INC. 2009 STOCK INCENTIVE PLAN (As amended and restated effective as of July 19, 2016)

SECTION 1 Purpose

The purpose of this Delcath Systems, Inc. 2009 Stock Incentive Plan is to promote the interests of Delcath Systems, Inc. (the "Company") and its Subsidiaries through grants of awards to employees, directors and consultants in order to (i) attract and retain employees, directors and consultants, (ii) provide an additional incentive to each award holder to work to increase the value of Delcath stock, and (iii) provide each award holder with a stake in the future of Delcath that strengthens the mutuality of interests between such award holder and Delcath's shareholders. The Plan was originally effective as of June 9, 2009 and amended and restated effective as of June 10, 2015, and has been further amended and restated effective as of July 19, 2016, subject to stockholder approval of this amended and restated Plan.

SECTION 2 Types of Awards

Awards under the Plan may be in the form of Stock Options, Stock Appreciation Rights (SARs), Restricted Stock, Restricted Stock Units (RSUs), Other Stock-Based Awards, and Cash Awards.

Awards may be free-standing or granted in tandem. If two awards are granted in tandem, the award holder may exercise (or otherwise receive the benefit of) one award only to the extent he or she relinquishes the tandem award.

SECTION 3 Definitions

"Beneficiary" means an award holder's designated beneficiary or estate, as determined under Section 16.

"Board" means the Board of Directors of Delcath.

"Cash Award" means an award granted under Section 13 of the Plan.

"Delcath" or the "Company" means Delcath Systems, Inc., a Delaware corporation, and any successor to such corporation.

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time.

"Committee" means (i) with respect to awards to Non-Employee Directors, the entire Board; and (ii) with respect to all other awards, a committee of the Board designated by the Board to administer this Plan and which shall consist of at least two members of the Board, or if no such committee is appointed, the entire Board.

"Consultant" means any individual, other than an Employee or Non-Employee Director, who is engaged by Delcath or a Subsidiary to render services, other than a person whose services are rendered in connection with capital-raising or promoting or maintaining a market for Delcath securities.

"Employee" means an employee of Delcath or of any Subsidiary.

"Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended from time to time.

"Fair Market Value" of the Stock means (i) if the Stock is readily tradable on an established securities market (within the meaning of Section 409A of the Code), the closing price for a share of Stock on such exchange or market as is determined by the Committee to be the primary market for the Stock on the date in question, or if the date in question is not a trading day on such market, the closing price on such exchange or market for the trading day immediately preceding the day in question, and (ii) otherwise, such other price as the Board determines is appropriate after taking into account the requirements of Section 409A of the Code.

"Incentive Stock Option" or "ISO" means a Stock Option granted under the Plan that both is designated as an ISO and qualifies as an incentive stock option within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code.

"Non-Employee Director" means a member of the Board who is not an Employee.

"Non-Qualified Option" or "NQSO" means a Stock Option granted under the Plan which either is designated as NQSO or does not qualify as an incentive stock option within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code.

"Other Stock Based Award" means an award described in Section 12 of the Plan.

"Plan" means this Delcath Systems, Inc. 2009 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended from time to time.

"Performance Award" means an award granted under Section 10, 11, 12, or 13 of the Plan that meets the requirements of Section 14 of the Plan and is intended to qualify as "performance-based compensation" under Section 162(m) of the Code.

"Performance Objectives" means objective measures of performance for earning an award, which in the case of Performance Awards, shall be based on one or more of the criteria specified in Section 14.2.

"Restricted Stock" means an award described in Section 10 of the Plan.

"Restricted Stock Unit" or "RSU" means an award described in Section 11 of the Plan.

"Stock" means common stock of Delcath, par value one cent (\$.01).

"Stock Appreciation Right" or "SAR" means an award described in Section 9 of the Plan.

"Stock Option" means an Incentive Stock Option or a Non-Qualified Stock Option.

"Subsidiary" means any corporation, partnership, joint venture, or other entity in which Delcath owns, directly or indirectly, 50% or more of the ownership interests.

SECTION 4 Administration

4.1 The Plan shall be administered by the Committee.

The Committee shall have the following authority and discretion with respect to awards under the Plan: to grant awards (subject to any limitations contained in the Plan); to adopt, alter and repeal such administrative rules, guidelines and practices governing the Plan as it shall deem advisable; to interpret the terms and provisions of the Plan and any award granted under the Plan; to make all factual and other determinations necessary or advisable for the administration of the Plan; and to otherwise supervise the administration of the Plan. In particular, and without limiting its authority and powers, the Committee shall have the authority:

- to determine whether and to what extent any award or combination of awards will be granted hereunder and whether they will be Performance Awards;
- (2) to select the Employees, Non-Employee Directors, and Consultants to whom awards will be granted;
- (3) to determine the number of shares of Stock to be covered by each award granted hereunder subject to the limitations contained herein;

- (4) to determine the terms and conditions of any award granted hereunder, including, but not limited to, any vesting or other restrictions based on such Performance Objectives, continued employment, and such other factors as the Committee may establish, and to determine whether the Performance Objectives and other terms and conditions of the award have been satisfied;
- (5) to determine the treatment of awards upon an award holder's retirement, disability, death, termination for cause or other termination of employment or service;
- (6) to determine whether amounts equal to the amount of any dividends declared with respect to the number of shares covered by an award (i) will be paid to the award holder currently, or (ii) will be deferred and deemed to be reinvested or otherwise credited to the award holder and paid at the date specified in the award, or (iii) that the award holder has no rights with respect to such dividends (in each case, subject to any restrictions imposed by Section 409A of the Code);
- (7) to amend the terms of any award, prospectively or retroactively; *provided however* that (i) no amendment shall impair the rights of the award holder with respect to an outstanding award without his or her written consent; (ii) unless approved by the stockholders, the Committee shall have no power to amend the terms of outstanding Stock Options or SARs to reduce the option price or base price of such awards or to cancel or surrender outstanding Stock Options or SARs and grant substitute cash or other awards or Stock Options or SARs with a lower option price or base price than the cancelled awards; and (iii) the Committee shall consider the provisions of Section 409A of the Code prior to amending any award;
- (8) to correct any defect, supply any omission, or reconcile any inconsistency in the Plan or any award in the manner and to the extent it shall deem desirable to carry out the purpose of the Plan;
- (9) to determine whether, to what extent, and under what circumstances Stock and other amounts payable with respect to an award will be deferred either automatically or at the election of an award holder, including providing for and determining the amount (if any) of deemed earnings on any deferred amount during any deferral period (in each case, subject to any restrictions imposed by Section 409A of the Code);
- (10) to determine, pursuant to a formula or otherwise, the Fair Market Value of the Stock on a given date; (11) subject to any restrictions imposed by Section 409A of the Code, to provide that the shares of Stock received as a result of an award shall be subject to a right of repurchase by the Company and/or a right of first refusal, in each case subject to such terms and conditions as the Committee may specify;
- (12) to adopt one or more sub-plans, consistent with the Plan, containing such provisions as may be necessary or desirable to enable awards under the Plan to comply with the laws of other jurisdictions and/or qualify for preferred tax treatment under such laws;
- (13) to the extent permitted by law, to delegate to a committee of two or more officers of the Company the authority to grant awards to Employees who are not officers or directors of the Company for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; provided, however, that any such delegation shall be set forth in a resolution of the Committee that specifies the total number of shares as to which awards may be granted under such delegation and any other limitations as may be imposed by the Committee; and
- (14) to delegate such administrative duties as it may deem advisable to one or more of its members or to one or more employees or agents of the Company.

4.2 All determinations and interpretations made by the Committee pursuant to the provisions of the Plan shall be final and binding on all persons, including the Company and award holders.

4.3 The Committee may act by a majority of its members at a meeting (present in person or by conference telephone), by unanimous written consent or by any other method of director action then permitted under the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

SECTION 5 Stock Subject to Plan

5.1 Subject to any adjustments made in accordance with Section 5.4, the total number of shares of Stock that may be issued under the Plan shall not exceed the sum of the following: (1) the 1,700,000 Share increase authorized by the Board to be effective upon stockholder approval on July 19, 2016 (the "Stockholder") Approval Date"), plus (2) the number of Shares subject to outstanding awards under the Plan as of the Stockholder Approval Date, plus (3) the number of Shares remaining available for issuance under the Plan but not subject to outstanding awards or previously exercised, vested or paid awards as of the Stockholder Approval Date; provided that in no event shall the maximum aggregate numbers of shares that may be issued or transferred under the Plan after the Stockholder Approval Date exceed 3,206,250. No more than 3,206,250 shares may be granted with respect to Incentive Stock Options (subject to adjustment as provided in Section 5.4). Shares issued under the Plan may consist of authorized but unissued shares or shares which have been issued and reacquired by the Company. Shares of Stock subject to outstanding awards under the Plan shall be available for subsequent issuance under the Plan to the extent those awards expire or terminate for any reason prior to the issuance of the shares of Stock subject to those awards. Unvested shares of Restricted Stock issued under the Plan and subsequently forfeited shall be added back to the number of shares of Stock reserved for issuance under the Plan and shall accordingly be available for subsequent reissuance. Should the exercise price of a Stock Option be paid with shares of Stock (whether through the withholding of a portion of the otherwise issuable shares or through the delivery of already owned shares), then the share reserve shall be reduced by the gross number of shares for which that Stock Option is exercised, and not by the net number of shares issued under the exercised Stock Option. Upon the exercise of any Stock Appreciation Right, the share reserve shall be reduced by the gross number of shares as to which such right is exercised and not the net number of shares issued upon such exercise. If shares of Stock otherwise issuable under the Plan are withheld by the Company in satisfaction of the withholding taxes incurred in connection with an award, then the share reserve shall be reduced by the gross number of shares deliverable under such award, calculated in each instance prior to any such share withholding. The payment of any award in cash shall not count against the share reserve, regardless of the original intent, structure or nature of such award.

In connection with a merger or consolidation of an entity with the Company or the acquisition by the Company or a Subsidiary of property or stock of an entity, the Company may assume awards granted by such entity or grant Stock Options or other awards in substitution for awards granted by such entity or an affiliate thereof, and such assumed or substituted awards shall not count against the share limit under this Plan.

5.2 [Reserved]

5.3 No individual shall be granted Stock Options, SARs, Restricted Stock, RSUs, or Other Stock-Based Awards, or any combination thereof with respect to more than 500,000 shares of Stock in any fiscal year (subject to adjustment as provided in Section 5.4). The maximum Cash Award that may be paid to any individual in any fiscal year (measured at the end of the performance period or periods ending in the fiscal year, and without regard to increase in value of the award during any deferral period) is \$500,000.

5.4 In the event of a change in the outstanding stock of the Company (including but not limited to changes in either the number of shares or the value of shares) by reason of any stock split, reverse stock split, dividend or

other distribution (whether in the form of shares, other securities or other property, but not including regular cash dividends), extraordinary cash dividend, recapitalization, merger in which the stockholders of the Company immediately prior to the merger continue to own a majority of the voting securities of the successor entity immediately after the merger, consolidation, split-up, spin-off, reorganization, combination, repurchase or exchange of shares or other securities, or other similar corporate transaction or event, if the Committee shall determine in its sole discretion that, in order to prevent dilution or enlargement of the benefits or potential benefits intended to be made available under the Plan, such transaction or event equitably requires an adjustment in the aggregate number and/or class of shares of Stock available under the Plan (including for this purpose the number of shares of Stock available for issuance under the Plan) or in the number, class and/or price of shares of Stock subject to outstanding Stock Options and/or outstanding awards), such adjustment shall be made by the Committee and shall be conclusive and binding for all purposes under the Plan. A participant holding an outstanding award has a legal right to an adjustment that preserves without enlarging the value of such award, with the terms and manner of such adjustment to be determined by the Committee.

In addition, upon the dissolution or liquidation of the Company or upon any reorganization, merger, or consolidation as a result of which the Company is not the surviving corporation (or survives as a wholly-owned subsidiary of another corporation), or upon a sale of substantially all the assets of the Company, the Board or the Committee may take such action as it in its discretion deems appropriate, subject to any limitations imposed by Section 409A of the Code, to (i) accelerate the time when awards vest and/or may be exercised and/or may be paid, (ii) cash out outstanding Stock Options and/or other awards at or immediately prior to the date of such event, (iii) provide for the assumption of outstanding Stock Options or other awards by surviving, successor or transferee corporations or entities, (iv) provide that in lieu of shares of Stock, the award recipient shall be entitled to receive the consideration he or she would have received in such transaction in exchange for such shares of Stock (or the Fair Market Value thereof in cash), and/or (v) provide that Stock Options and SARs shall be exercisable for a period of at least 10 business days from the date of receipt of a notice from the Company of such proposed event, following the expiration of which period any unexercised Stock Options or SARs shall terminate.

No fractional shares shall be issued or delivered under the Plan. The Board or the Committee shall determine whether the value of fractional shares shall be paid in cash or other property, or whether such fractional shares and any rights thereto shall be cancelled without payment.

The Board's or Committee's determination as to which adjustments shall be made under this Section 5.4 and the extent thereof shall be final, binding and conclusive.

SECTION 6 Eligibility

Employees, Non-Employee Directors, and Consultants are eligible to be granted awards under the Plan. In addition, awards may be granted to prospective Employees, Non-Employee Directors, or Consultants but such awards shall not become effective until the recipient's commencement of employment or service with the Company or Subsidiary. Incentive Stock Options may be granted only to employees and prospective employees of the Company or of any parent corporation or subsidiary of the Company (as those terms are defined in Section 424 of the Code). The participants under the Plan shall be selected from time to time by the Committee, in its sole discretion, from among those eligible.

SECTION 7 Vesting

Each Stock Option, SAR, award of Restricted Stock, RSU, or Other Stock-Based Award will be subject to a minimum 12-month vesting period.

SECTION 8 Stock Options

8.1 The Stock Options awarded under the Plan may be either Incentive Stock Options or Non-Qualified Stock Options. To the extent that any Stock Option is either designated as a Non-Qualified Stock Option or does not qualify as an Incentive Stock Option, it shall constitute a Non-Qualified Stock Option.

8.2 Subject to the following provisions, Stock Options awarded under the Plan shall be in such form and shall have such terms and conditions as the Committee may determine:

- (1) Option Price. The option price per share of Stock purchasable under a Stock Option shall be determined by the Committee, but shall not be less than the Fair Market Value of the Stock on the date of grant of the Stock Option. The date of grant of any Stock Option shall be the date of Committee approval of the Stock Option or a prospective date specified by the Committee, and for prospective Employees shall be no earlier than the first day of employment.
- (2) Option Term. The term of each Stock Option shall be fixed by the Committee, but shall not exceed ten years.
- (3) Exercisability. Stock Options shall be exercisable at such time or times and subject to such terms and conditions as shall be determined by the Committee. The Committee may waive such exercise provisions or accelerate the exercisability of the Stock Option at any time in whole or in part.
- (4) Method of Exercise. Stock Options may be exercised in whole or in part at any time during the option period by giving notice of exercise, in such manner as may be determined by the Company (which may be written or electronic), specifying the number of whole shares to be purchased, accompanied by payment of the aggregate option price for such shares. Payment of the option price shall be made in such manner as the Committee may provide in the award, which may include (i) cash (including cash equivalents), (ii) delivery (either by actual delivery of the shares or by providing an affidavit attesting to ownership of the shares) of shares of Stock already owned by the optionee, (iii) broker-assisted "cashless exercise" in which the optione delivers a notice of exercise together with irrevocable instructions to a broker acceptable to the Company to sell shares of Stock (or a sufficient portion of such shares) acquired upon exercise of the Stock Option and remit to the Company a sufficient portion of the sale proceeds to pay the total option price and any withholding tax obligation resulting from such exercise, (iv) application of shares subject to the Stock Option to satisfy the option price, (v) any other manner permitted by law, or (vi) any combination of the foregoing. Any shares used to pay the option price shall be valued at their Fair Market Value on the date of exercise.
- (5) No Stockholder Rights. An optionee shall have neither rights to dividends or other rights of a stockholder with respect to shares subject to a Stock Option until the optionee has duly exercised the Stock Option and a certificate for such shares has been duly issued (or the optionee has otherwise been duly recorded as the owner of the shares on the books of the Company).
- (6) Surrender Rights. The Committee may provide that options may be surrendered for cash upon any terms and conditions set by the Committee.
- (7) Non-transferability. Unless otherwise provided by the Committee, (i) Stock Options shall not be transferable by the optionee other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution, and (ii) during the optionee's lifetime, all Stock Options shall be exercisable only by the optionee or by his or her guardian or legal representative. The Committee, in its sole discretion, may permit Stock Options to be transferred to such transferees and on such terms and conditions as may be determined by the Committee.
- (8) Termination of Employment. Following the termination of an optionee's employment or service with the Company or a Subsidiary, the Stock Option shall be exercisable to the extent determined by the Committee. The Committee may provide different post-termination exercise provisions with respect to termination of employment or service for different reasons. The Committee may provide at the time of grant that, notwithstanding the option term fixed pursuant to Section 8.2(2), a Stock Option that is

outstanding on the date of an optionee's death shall remain outstanding for an additional period after the date of such death. The Committee shall have absolute discretion to determine the date and circumstances of any termination of employment or service.

8.3 Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 8.2, Incentive Stock Options shall be subject to the following additional restrictions:

- (1) No Incentive Stock Option shall have an option price that is less than 100% of the Fair Market Value (as determined for purposes of Section 422 of the Code) of the Stock on the date of grant of the Incentive Stock Option. The date of grant of any Incentive Stock Option shall be the date of Committee approval of the Incentive Stock Option or a prospective date specified by the Committee, and for prospective employees shall be no earlier than the first day of employment.
- (2) No Incentive Stock Option shall be exercisable more than ten years after the date such Incentive Stock Option is granted.
- (3) No Incentive Stock Option shall be awarded more than ten years after April 8, 2009, the date of Board approval of the Plan.
- (4) No Incentive Stock Option granted to an employee who owns more than 10% of the total combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company or any of its parent or subsidiary corporations, as defined in Section 424 of the Code, shall (A) have an option price which is less than 110% of the Fair Market Value of the Stock on the date of grant of the Incentive Stock Option or (B) be exercisable more than five years after the date such Incentive Stock Option is granted.
- (5) The aggregate Fair Market Value (determined as of the time the Incentive Stock Option is granted) of the shares with respect to which Incentive Stock Options (granted under the Plan and any other plans of the Company, its parent corporation or subsidiary corporations, as defined in Section 424 of the Code) are exercisable for the first time by an optionee in any calendar year shall not exceed \$100,000.
- (6) An optionee's right to exercise an Incentive Stock Option shall be subject to the optionee's agreement to notify the Company of any "disqualifying disposition" (for purposes of Section 422 of the Code) of the shares acquired upon such exercise, subject to Section 4.1.
- (7) Incentive Stock Options shall not be transferable by the optionee, other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution, subject to such additional limitations as may be imposed by the Committee. During the optionee's lifetime, all Incentive Stock Options shall be exercisable only by such optionee.

The Committee may, with the consent of the optionee, amend an Incentive Stock Option in a manner that would cause loss of Incentive Stock Option status, provided the Stock Option as so amended satisfies the requirements of Section 8.2.

8.4 In connection with a merger or consolidation of an entity with the Company or the acquisition by the Company or a Subsidiary of property or stock of an entity, the Committee may grant Stock Options in substitution for any options or other stock awards or stock-based awards granted by such entity or an affiliate thereof. Such substitute Stock Options may be granted on such terms as the Committee deems appropriate to prevent dilution or enlargement of the benefits under the prior award, notwithstanding any limitations on Stock Options contained in other provisions of this Section 8, but after considering the provisions of Section 409A of the Code.

SECTION 9 Stock Appreciation Rights (SARs)

A Stock Appreciation Right shall entitle the holder thereof to receive, for each share as to which the award is granted, payment of an amount, in cash, shares of Stock, or a combination thereof as determined by the Committee, equal in value to the excess of the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on the date of exercise over

an amount (the base price) specified by the Committee. Any such award shall be in such form and shall have such terms and conditions as the Committee may determine; *provided*, *however*, that no SAR shall have a base price below the Fair Market Value of the Stock on the date of grant or a term longer than ten years. The award shall specify the number of shares of Stock as to which the SAR is granted.

SECTION 10 Restricted Stock

Subject to the following provisions, all awards of Restricted Stock shall be in such form and shall have such terms and conditions as the Committee may determine:

- (1) The Restricted Stock award shall specify the number of shares of Restricted Stock to be awarded, the price, if any, to be paid by the recipient of the Restricted Stock and the date or dates on which, or the conditions upon the satisfaction of which, the Restricted Stock will vest. The grant and/or the vesting of Restricted Stock may be conditioned upon the completion of a specified period of service with the Company and/or its Subsidiaries, upon the attainment of specified Performance Objectives, and/or upon such other criteria as the Committee may determine.
- (2) Stock certificates representing the Restricted Stock awarded shall be registered in the award holder's name (or the holder shall be recorded as the owner of the shares on the books of the Company), but the Committee may direct that such certificates be held by the Company or its designee on behalf of the award holder (or that transfer restrictions be placed on the shares). Except as may be permitted by the Committee, no share of Restricted Stock may be sold, transferred, assigned, pledged or otherwise encumbered by the award holder until such share has vested in accordance with the terms of the Restricted Stock award. At the time Restricted Stock vests, a certificate for such vested shares shall be delivered to the award holder (or his or her Beneficiary in the event of death), (or the award holder (or his or her Beneficiary in the event of death), in each case free of all restrictions.
- (3) The Committee may provide that the award holder shall have the right to vote and/or receive dividends on Restricted Stock. Unless the Committee provides otherwise, Stock received as a dividend on, or in connection with a stock split of, Restricted Stock (or pursuant to adjustment under Section 5.4) shall be subject to the same restrictions as the Restricted Stock.
- (4) Except as may be provided by the Committee, in the event of an award holder's termination of employment or service before all of his or her Restricted Stock has vested, or in the event any conditions to the vesting of Restricted Stock have not been satisfied prior to any deadline for the satisfaction of such conditions set forth in the award, the shares of Restricted Stock which have not vested shall be forfeited, and the Committee may provide that (i) any purchase price paid by the award holder shall be returned to the award holder or (ii) a cash payment equal to the Restricted Stock's Fair Market Value on the date of forfeiture, if lower, shall be paid to the award holder.
- (5) The Committee may waive, in whole or in part, any or all of the conditions to receipt of, or restrictions with respect to, any or all of the award holder's Restricted Stock (except that the Committee may not waive conditions or restrictions with respect to Performance Awards if such waiver would cause the award to fail to qualify as "performance-based compensation" within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code).

SECTION 11 Restricted Stock Units (RSUs)

Subject to the following provisions, all awards of Restricted Stock Units shall be in such form and shall have such terms and conditions as the Committee may determine:

(1) The Restricted Stock Unit award shall specify the number of RSUs to be awarded and the duration of the period (the "Deferral Period") during which, and the conditions under which, receipt of the Stock will be deferred. The Committee may condition the grant or vesting of Restricted Stock Units, or



receipt of Stock or cash at the end of the Deferral Period, upon the completion of a specified period of service with the Company and/or its Subsidiaries, upon the attainment of specified Performance Objectives, and/or upon such other criteria as the Committee may determine.

- (2) Except as may be provided by the Committee, RSU awards may not be sold, assigned, transferred, pledged or otherwise encumbered during the Deferral Period.
- (3) At the expiration of the Deferral Period, the award holder (or his or her Beneficiary in the event of death) shall receive (i) certificates for the number of shares of Stock equal to the number of shares covered by the RSU award (or the shares shall be duly recorded as owned by such holder on the books of the Company), (ii) cash equal to the Fair Market Value of such Stock, or (iii) a combination of shares and cash, as the Committee may determine.
- (4) Except as may be provided by the Committee, in the event of an award holder's termination of employment or service before the RSU has vested, his or her RSU award shall be forfeited.
- (5) The Committee may waive, in whole or in part, any or all of the conditions to receipt of, or restrictions with respect to, Stock or cash under a Restricted Stock Unit award (except that the Committee may not waive conditions or restrictions with respect to Performance Awards if such waiver would cause the award to fail to qualify as "performance-based compensation" within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code). In addition, the Committee shall not accelerate the payment of an RSU if such acceleration would violate Section 409A of the Code.

SECTION 12 Other Stock-Based Awards

The Committee may grant Other Stock-Based Awards, which shall consist of any right that is not an award described in Sections 8, 9, 10 or 11 hereof and that is denominated or payable in Stock, or valued in whole or in part by reference to or otherwise based on or related to Stock (including, without limitation, securities convertible into Stock). The Committee shall determine the terms and conditions of any such award, subject to any limitations contained in the Plan.

SECTION 13 Cash Awards

13.1 The Committee may grant Cash Awards, which shall entitle the award holder to receive cash upon the satisfaction of the Performance Objectives and other terms and conditions set forth in the award. At the time of grant of a Cash Award, the Committee shall specify the applicable Performance Objectives and the performance period to which they apply, as well as the amount of the Cash Award to be paid upon satisfaction of the Performance Objectives (which may be stated as a range of amounts payable upon attainment of specified levels of satisfaction of the Performance Objectives). The Committee may determine that a Cash Award shall be payable upon achievement of any one Performance Objective, or any one of several Performance Objectives, or that two or more of the Performance Objectives must be achieved as a condition to payment of a Cash Award.

13.2 The Committee shall specify at the time of grant of a Cash Award the date or dates such Cash Award, to the extent earned, shall be payable, and may require all or a portion of the Cash Award to be deferred and payable only upon satisfaction of continued employment or other specified conditions. The Committee may also permit all or a portion of a Cash Award to be deferred at the award holder's election, subject to Section 409A of the Code. Deferred portions of a Cash Award may be credited with interest, deemed invested in Stock, or deemed invested in such other investments as the Committee may specify.

SECTION 14 Performance Awards

14.1 The Committee shall have the right to designate awards under Section 10, 11, 12 or 13 as Performance Awards, in which case the following provisions shall apply to such awards (in addition to the provisions under Section 10, 11, 12, or 13, as applicable).



14.2 The grant or vesting of a Performance Award shall be subject to the achievement of Performance Objectives established by the Committee based on one or more of the following criteria, in each case applied to the Company on a consolidated basis and/or to a Subsidiary, business unit, business segment or business line, and which the Committee may use as an absolute measure, as a measure of improvement relative to prior performance, or as a measure of comparable performance relative to a peer group of companies or published or special index that the Committee deems appropriate:

- (1) Net earnings or net income (before or after taxes); (2) Earnings per share;
- (3) Net sales or revenue growth;
- (4) Gross revenues (and/or gross revenue growth) and/or mix of revenues among the Company's business activities;
- (5) Net operating profit (or reduction in operating loss);
- (6) Return measures (including, but not limited to, return on assets, capital, invested capital, equity, sales, or revenue);
- (7) Cash flow (including, but not limited to, operating cash flow, free cash flow, cash flow return on equity, and cash flow return on investment);
- (8) Earnings before or after taxes, interest, depreciation, amortization, and/or other non-cash items; (9) Gross or operating margins;
- (10) Productivity ratios (and/or such ratios as compared to various stock market indices);
- (11) Stock price (including, but not limited to, growth measures and total shareholder return);
- (12) Stock price and market capitalization ratios (including, but not limited to, price-to-earnings ratio and enterprise multiple)
- (13) Expense targets (including, but not limited to, expenses-to-sales ratios);
- (14) Margins;
- (15) Operating efficiency; (16) Market share;
- (17) Customer satisfaction;
- (18) Employee satisfaction or retention;
- (19) Development and implementation of employee or executive development programs (including, but not limited to, succession programs);
- (20) Working capital targets;
- (21) Economic value added;
- (22) Market value added;
- (23) Debt to equity ratio;
- (24) Strategic business goals relating to acquisitions, divestitures and joint ventures;
- (25) Attaining specified clinical, trial site initiation or patient enrollment targets;
- (26) Filing of the Company's PMA application to the Food and Drug Administration;
- (27) Obtaining regulatory approvals, including of the company's PHP System in the United States or other countries;
- (28) Sale of the company;
- (29) Consummating a specified equity based capital offering;

- (30) Reaching specified technology development objectives; and
- (31) Reaching specified employment time-points governed by an employment agreement

The Committee may provide in any Performance Award that any evaluation of performance may include or exclude any of the following events that occurs during the performance period: (i) asset write-downs, (ii) litigation or claim judgments or settlements, (iii) the effect of changes in tax laws, accounting principles, or other laws or provisions affecting reported results, (iv) any reorganization and restructuring programs, (v) extraordinary nonrecurring items as described in Accounting Principles Board Opinion No. 30 and/or in management's discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations appearing in the Company's annual report to stockholders for the applicable year, (vi) the impact of adjustments to the Company's deferred tax asset valuation allowance, (vii) acquisitions or divestitures, and (viii) foreign exchange gains and losses. To the extent such inclusions or exclusions affect awards intended to be performance-based within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code, they shall be prescribed in a form that meets the requirements of Section 162(m).

14.3 The following additional requirements shall apply to Performance Awards:

- (1) The Performance Objectives shall be established by the Committee not later than the earlier of (i) 90 days after the beginning of the applicable performance period, or (ii) the time 25% of such performance period has elapsed.
- (2) The Performance Objectives shall be objective and the achievement of such Performance Objectives shall be substantially uncertain (within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code) at the time the Performance Objectives are established.
- (3) The amount of the Performance Award payable upon each level of achievement of the Performance Objectives must be objectively determinable, except that the Committee shall have the right to reduce (but not increase) the amount payable, in its sole discretion.
- (4) Prior to payment of any Performance Award, the Committee shall certify in writing, in a manner that satisfies the requirements of Section 162(m) of the Code, that the Performance Objectives have been satisfied.

SECTION 15 Tax Withholding

Each award holder shall, no later than the date as of which an amount with respect to an award first becomes includible in such person's gross income for applicable tax purposes, pay to the Company, or make arrangements satisfactory to the Company regarding payment of, any federal, state, local or other taxes of any kind required by law to be withheld with respect to the award. The obligations of the Company under the Plan shall be conditional on such payment or arrangements, and the Company (and, where applicable, any Subsidiaries), shall, to the extent permitted by law, have the right to deduct the minimum amount of any required tax withholdings from any payment of any kind otherwise due to the award holder.

To the extent permitted by the Committee, and subject to such terms and conditions as the Committee may provide, an award holder may elect to have all or any portion of any required tax withholding with respect to any awards hereunder satisfied by having the Company withhold shares of Stock otherwise deliverable to such person with respect to the award. Alternatively, the Committee may require that a portion of the shares of Stock or cash otherwise deliverable be applied to satisfy the minimum withholding tax obligations with respect to the award. However, unless the Committee determines otherwise, share withholding for taxes shall not exceed the award holder's minimum applicable tax withholding amount.

SECTION 16 Beneficiary of Award Holder

16.1 The Committee may provide the holder with the right to designate any person or persons as such person's beneficiary or beneficiaries (both primary and contingent) to whom payment in respect of one or more



of the award holder's awards under this Plan shall be paid in the event of the award holder's death. Each beneficiary designation shall become effective only when filed in writing with the Company during the award holder's lifetime on a form provided by the Company. If an award holder is married, his or her designation of beneficiary or beneficiaries other than his/her spouse or his/her estate shall not be effective unless the beneficiary designation has been signed by the spouse and notarized.

16.2 If an award holder is not given the right to designate a beneficiary or fails to designate a beneficiary in accordance with the provisions of Section 16.1, or if all designated beneficiaries predecease the award holder, payment of the holder's awards shall be made to the holder's estate.

SECTION 17 Amendments and Termination

17.1 No award shall be granted under the Plan after the day preceding the tenth anniversary of the Stockholder Approval Date, unless the Plan has been reapproved by the Company's stockholders prior to such date.

No Performance Award shall be granted after the Company's annual meeting held in 2014, unless the material terms of the performance goals (within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code) have been re-approved by the Company's stockholders within the five years prior to such grant.

17.2 The Board may discontinue the Plan at any time and may amend it from time to time. No amendment or discontinuation of the Plan shall adversely affect any award previously granted without the award holder's written consent. Amendments may be made without stockholder approval except as required to satisfy applicable laws or regulations or the requirements of any stock exchange or market on which the Stock is listed or traded.

17.3 The Committee may amend the terms of any award prospectively or retroactively, subject to the limitations set forth in Section 4.1(7) hereof.

17.4 Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Section 16, the Committee shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to amend the Plan and all outstanding awards without the consent of stockholders or award holders to the extent the Committee determines such amendment is necessary or appropriate to comply with Section 409A of the Code.

17.5 Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan or of any award, in the event of a change in control event (as defined under Section 409A of the Code) the Committee shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to terminate the Plan and all outstanding awards (or, to the extent permitted under Section 409A of the Code, to terminate all awards subject to Section 409A of the Code) and distribute amounts payable under such awards immediately prior to or within 12 months after the occurrence of the change in control event.

SECTION 18 Change of Control

18.1 The Committee shall have the authority to determine the extent, if any, to which outstanding awards will become vested upon a Change of Control. In addition, to the extent permitted under Section 409A of the Code or with respect to awards that are not subject to Section 409A of the Code, the Committee shall have discretion to accelerate the payment date of awards in the event of a Change of Control.

18.2 A "Change of Control" means the happening of any of the following:

(1) the acquisition by any person or group deemed a person under Sections 3(a)(9) and 13(d)(3) of the Exchange Act (other than the Company and its Subsidiaries as determined immediately prior to that date and/or any of its or their employee benefit plans) of beneficial ownership, directly or indirectly



(with beneficial ownership determined as provided in Rule 13d-3, or any successor rule, under the Exchange Act) of securities of the Company representing more than 50% of the total combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company having the right under ordinary circumstances to vote at an election of the Board;

- (2) the date on which a majority of the members of the Board shall consist of persons other than Current Directors (which term shall mean any member of the Board on the date of adoption of the Plan and any member of the Board whose nomination or election has been approved by a majority of the Current Directors then on the Board);
- (3) consummation of a merger or consolidation of the Company with another corporation where (x) the stockholders of the Company immediately prior to the merger or consolidation would not beneficially own, immediately after the merger or consolidation, shares entitling such stockholders to a majority of all votes (without consideration of the rights of any class of stock to elect directors by a separate class vote) to which all stockholders of the corporation issuing cash or securities in the merger or consolidation would be entitled in the election of directors in the same proportions as their ownership, immediately prior to such merger or consolidation, of voting securities of the Company, or (y) where the members of the Company's board of directors, immediately prior to the merger or consolidation, would not, immediately after the merger or consolidation, constitute a majority of the board of directors of the corporation issuing cash or securities in the merger or consolidation;
- (4) the sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company; or
- (5) the date of approval by the stockholders of the Company of the liquidation of the Company.

SECTION 19 Section 409A

19.1 All awards granted under the Plan are intended to be exempt from the requirements of Section

409A or, if not exempt, to satisfy the requirements of Section 409A, and the provisions of the Plan and of any award granted under the Plan shall be construed in a manner consistent therewith.

19.2 For purposes of Section 409A of the Code, the "specified employees" of the Company shall be determined in such manner as may be specified by resolution of the Committee in accordance with Section 409A of the Code.

19.3 Notwithstanding any provision of the Plan or any award to the contrary, any amounts payable under the Plan on account of termination of employment to an award holder who is a "specified employee" within the meaning of Section 409A which constitute "deferred compensation" within the meaning of Section 409A and which are otherwise scheduled to be paid during the first six months following the award holder's termination of employment (other than any payments that are permitted under Section 409A to be paid within six months following termination of employment of a specified employee) shall be suspended until the six-month anniversary of the award holder's termination of employment (or until the award holder's death, if earlier), at which time all payments that were suspended shall be paid to the award holder in a lump sum.

19.4 A termination of employment shall not be deemed to have occurred for purposes of any award under this Plan providing for the payment of any amounts upon or following a termination of employment unless such termination is also a "separation from service" within the meaning of Section 409A.

SECTION 20 General Provisions

20.1 Each award under the Plan shall be subject to the requirement that, if at any time the Committee shall determine that (i) the listing, registration or qualification of the Stock subject or related thereto upon any securities exchange or market or under any state or federal law, or (ii) the consent or approval of any government regulatory body or (iii) an agreement by the recipient of an award with respect to the disposition of Stock, is necessary or desirable in order to satisfy any legal requirements, or the issuance, sale or delivery of any shares of

Stock is or may in the circumstances be unlawful under the laws or regulations of any applicable jurisdiction, the right to exercise such Stock Option or SAR shall be suspended, such award shall not be granted, and/or the shares subject to such award will not be issued, sold or delivered, in whole or in part, unless such listing, registration, qualification, consent, approval or agreement shall have been effected or obtained free of any conditions not acceptable to the Committee, and the Committee determines that the issuance, sale or delivery of the shares is lawful. The application of this Section shall not extend the term of any Stock Option or other award. The Company shall have no obligation to effect any registration or qualification of the Stock under federal or state laws or to compensate the award holder for any loss caused by the implementation of this Section 19.1.

20.2 Nothing set forth in this Plan shall prevent the Board from adopting other or additional compensation arrangements, including arrangements providing for the issuance of Stock. Nothing in the Plan nor any award hereunder shall confer upon any award holder any right to continued employment or service with the Company or a Subsidiary, or interfere in any way with the right of any such company to terminate such employment or service.

20.3 Determinations by the Committee under the Plan relating to the form, amount, and terms and conditions of awards need not be uniform, and may be made selectively among persons who receive or are eligible to receive awards under the Plan, whether or not such persons are similarly situated.

20.4 No member of the Board or the Committee, nor any officer or employee of the Company acting on behalf of the Board or the Committee, shall be personally liable for any action, determination or interpretation taken or made with respect to the Plan or any award hereunder, and all members of the Board or the Committee and all officers or employees of the Company or any Subsidiary acting on their behalf shall, to the extent permitted by law, be fully indemnified and protected by the Company in respect of any such action, determination or interpretation.

20.5 Although the Company may endeavor to qualify an award for favorable tax treatment (e.g. incentive stock options under Section 422 of the Code) or to avoid adverse tax treatment (e.g. under Section 409A of the Code), the Company makes no representation that the desired tax treatment will be available and expressly disclaims any liability for the failure to maintain favorable or avoid unfavorable tax treatment.

20.6 Neither the Plan nor any award shall create or be construed to create a trust or separate fund of any kind or a fiduciary relationship between the Company or Subsidiary and an award holder, and no award holder will, by participation in the Plan, acquire any right in any specific Company property, including any property the Company may set aside in connection with the Plan. To the extent that any award holder acquires a right to receive payments from the Company or any Subsidiary pursuant to an award, such right shall not be greater than the right of an unsecured general creditor.

20.7 All provisions under the Plan calling for the delivery of Stock certificates may be satisfied by recording the respective person as the owner of the shares on the books of the Company, if permitted by applicable law.

20.8 The Plan and all awards hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the State of Delaware without giving effect to conflict of laws principles. Any dispute arising out of any award granted under the Plan may be resolved in any state or federal court located within New York County, New York State, U.S.A. Any award granted under the Plan is granted on condition that the award holder accepts such venue and submits to the personal jurisdiction of any such court. Similarly, the Company accepts such venue and submits to such jurisdiction.

20.9 This Plan first became effective upon approval by the Company's stockholders at the 2009 annual meeting of stockholders of the Company.