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Roderick I.L. Guthrie

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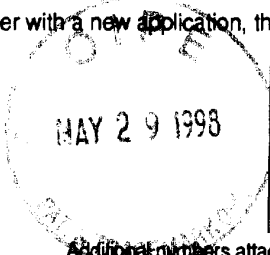
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ASSIGNMENT DOCUMENT

WHEREAS I, *Roderick I.L. Guthrie*, whose full post office address is 328 *Roslyn Avenue, Westmount, Quebec, Canada, H3Z 2L6* was the sole inventor of an invention entitled

*MOLTEN METAL INCLUSION SENSOR PROBES*

for which a U.S. Patent application, Serial No. 08/768,730 was filed on December 18th, 1996; and a Canadian patent application, Serial No. 2,192,507, was filed on December 10th, 1996;

AND WHEREAS I have agreed to assign the invention to *R. Guthrie Research Associates Inc. of 328 Roslyn Avenue, Westmount, Quebec, Canada, H3Z 2L6*;

NOW THEREFORE to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid by and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby confirm that I have sold, assigned and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer to the said *R. Guthrie Research Associates Inc.* its successors and assigns, all of my right, title and interest for the United States of America, Canada and all other countries in and to the said invention and in and to the said application and all Letters Patent that may be obtained therefor in the United States of America, Canada and all other countries:

AND be it known that I hereby authorize and empower the said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, to invoke and claim for any applications for patent or other form of protection for said invention filed by it or them, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by a Convention which may henceforth be substituted for it and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from me, and I hereby assign to said assignee any and all right I may have to claim such priority in any country from said patent application:

AND be it known that I hereby agree that, when requested, I will, without charge to, but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths and do all acts which will be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for said invention in the United States of America, Canada and all other countries and for vesting title thereto in accordance with this Assignment:

AND I hereby consent that a copy of this Assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any Assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in any country for any purpose and particularly in proof of the right of the said *R. Guthrie Research Associates Inc.* or nominees to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as amended, or by any Convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

Signed at Westmount, Quebec, Canada on this 24th August 1997

Roderick I.L. Guthrie

Roderick I.L. Guthrie

I HEREBY certify that before me personally appeared Roderick I.L. Guthrie to me known and known to me to be the individual described in the foregoing instrument and that he, in my presence, executed this instrument and who, by me being sworn, did acknowledge that he executed this instrument as his free act and deed in the day and year aforesaid.

[Signature]  
Notary Public

I, Diane Dion, whose full post office address is 6710 Jean-Tavernier, MtL, state that I was personally present and did see Roderick I.L. Guthrie who is personally known to me to be the person named in the above assignment duly execute the same on the date set forth above.

Diane Dion

Witness

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