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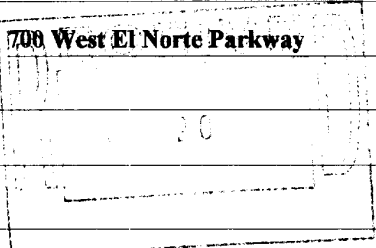
the attached original documents or copy thereof.

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SAFESCAN Medical Imaging

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Proton Sciences Corp.

Address: 700 West El Norte Parkway



City: Escondido State/Prov.: CA

Country: USA ZIP: 92026

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Gerald W. Spinks

July 14, 1998

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ASSIGNMENT

SAFESCAN Medical Imaging, a sole proprietorship of the State of California, having a principal place of business at 700 West El Norte Parkway, Escondido, CA, 92026, hereinafter called the "Assignor", is a joint owner of an invention entitled FERROMAGNETIC FOREIGN BODY SCREENING METHOD AND APPARATUS, hereinafter called the "invention", and the record owner of a United States patent application in which preferred embodiments of said invention are disclosed. Said United States patent application was previously executed by the inventors and assigned to SAFESCAN and Quantum Magnetics, Inc., and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as Serial No. 08/670,393 on 6/25/96.

Proton Sciences Corp., a corporation of the State of California, having a principal place of business at 700 West El Norte Parkway, Escondido, CA, 92026, hereinafter called the "Assignee", desires to secure the entire right, title and interest in said invention.

For good and valuable consideration received from the Assignee, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged,

THE ASSIGNOR HEREBY ASSIGNS TO THE ASSIGNEE:

The entire right, title and interest in said invention, in the above-identified United States patent application and in all divisions and continuations of said application, or reissues or extensions of Letters Patent or Patents granted thereon, and in all corresponding applications filed in countries foreign to the United States, and in all patents issuing thereon in the United States and Foreign countries.

The right to file foreign patent applications on said invention in its own name, wherever such right may be legally exercised, including the right to claim the benefits of international conventions for such applications.

The Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and such Patent Office officials in foreign countries as are duly authorized by their patent laws to issue patents, to issue any and all patents on said invention to the Assignee as the owner of the entire interest, for the sole use and behoof of the said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

The Assignor hereby agrees, without further consideration and without expense to the Assignor, to sign all lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts which the Assignee may request to make this Assignment fully effective, and to direct its officers, employees and contractors


to sign all such papers and perform all such acts, including, by way of example but not of limitation, the following:

Prompt execution of all original, continuation and divisional, substitute, reissue, and other United States and foreign patent applications on said invention, and all lawful documents requested by the Assignee to further the prosecution of any of such patent applications.

Cooperation in the execution of all lawful documents, the production of evidence, nullification, reissue, extension, or infringement proceedings involving said invention.

This assignment and agreement shall be binding upon the successors in interest and legal representatives of the Assignor.

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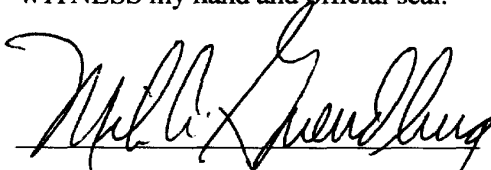
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**ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

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On May 22, 1998, before me, Mike A. Guendling Notary Public, personally appeared R. Kemp Massengill, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the persons whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.





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