

ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT

Whereas, We **Mark F. Kendrick and Carl A. Gogol**; have invented a certain new and useful **WALL DEPOSITION MONITORING SYSTEM**, for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States as fully set forth and described in the specifications prepared and executed by us this 17 day of July, 1998.

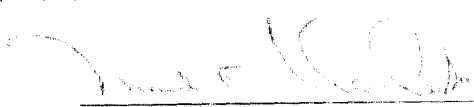
Whereas, **Leybold Inficon, Inc.**, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, and having a place of business at Two Technology Place, East Syracuse, NY 13057, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to said invention and the Letters Patent to be had therefore;

Now Therefore, to all whom it may concern, be it known, that for good and valuable consideration, to us in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, said **Mark F. Kendrick and Carl A. Gogol**, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said **Leybold Inficon, Inc.**, the whole right, title and interest in and to said **WALL DEPOSITION MONITORING SYSTEM**, as fully set forth and described in the aforesaid application for patent and in and to the United States Letters Patent to be issued for said invention for the territory of the United States and for all foreign countries the same for its own use and for the use of its assigns, successors and legal representatives to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent are or may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had the assignment and sale not been made.

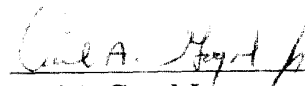
And We, for ourselves, our heirs, assigns and legal representatives hereby covenant to and with said assignee, its assigns, successors and legal representatives, that we have full right to sell and assign the entire interest in and to said invention and the Letters Patent to be had therefor and that the entire interest herein conveyed is free from all prior assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other encumbrance whatsoever.

And We Do Hereby Authorize and Request the Commissioner of Patents to issue Letters Patent to said **Leybold Inficon, Inc.**, as the assignee of our entire right and title therein.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals, this 17th day of July, 1998.



Mark F. Kendrick L.S.



Carl A. Gogol Jr. L.S.