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To the Honorable Commissioner of

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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

John Coffin

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

Name: Nicolet Instrument Corporation

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 5225 Verona Road

City: Madison State: WI ZIP: 53744-4451

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

08/859,971

B. Patent No.(s)

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Harry C. Engstrom

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Harry C. Engstrom

Name of Person Signing

Signature

August 4, 1998

Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, John Coffin, of Blue Mounds, Wisconsin (hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), has invented an **INTERFEROMETER OF AN INFRARED SPECTROMETER WITH DYNAMIC MOVING MIRROR ALIGNMENT**, for which application is being made for Letters Patent in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Nicolet Instrument Corporation (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Wisconsin, and having its principal office at 5225 Verona Road, Madison, Wisconsin 53744-4451, is desirous of acquiring an interest in the application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which by ASSIGNOR from ASSIGNEE is hereby acknowledged, said ASSIGNOR, by these presents, does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title, and interest for the territory of the United States of America, its territories and possessions, and for all foreign countries, in and to the invention as described in the above application and in and to the patent application. The invention, application, and Letters Patent are to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE for its own use, and by its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which Letters Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by ASSIGNOR had this Assignment and sale not been made.

ASSIGNOR does further hereby agree to provide all reasonable aid to ASSIGNEE in the making and prosecuting of any application for other Letters Patent that ASSIGNEE may wish to make covering the invention claimed in the application and in vesting in ASSIGNEE like exclusive right, title, and interest in and to all such other applications and resulting Letters Patent in similar proportion. ASSIGNOR hereby agrees that ASSIGNOR will similarly aid ASSIGNEE in the prosecution

of any interference that may arise involving any application for Letters Patent herein contemplated and that ASSIGNOR will execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE any and all additional papers that may be reasonably requested by ASSIGNEE to fully carry out the terms of this Assignment.

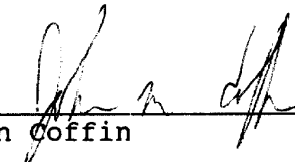
ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes the ASSIGNEE or the attorney of record in the application to insert below the filing date and serial number of the application when that information is known:

Serial No.: 08/859,971

Filing Date: May 21, 1997

Executed this May 15 day of MAY, 1997.

ASSIGNOR:



John Coffin (SEAL)

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
) ss.
COUNTY OF DANE)

Before me personally appeared John Coffin, to me known to be the person identified as ASSIGNOR in the above Assignment, who signed the foregoing instrument in my presence and made oath before me to the allegations set forth therein as being under oath on the 15th day of May, 1997.



Notary Public, State of Wisconsin

My Commission: 8-17-97