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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
 William C. PETERS  
 David G. SMITH  
 Edward G. APPLE, JR.

10-6-98

Additional name/s of conveying party/ies attached?

3. Nature of conveyance:  
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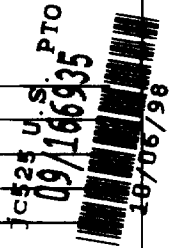
Execution Date: October 2, 1998

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

Name: General Electric Company  
 Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address: One River Road  
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City: Schenectady  
 State/Country: New York  
 Zip: 12345

Additional name/s & address/es attached?  Yes  No



4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):  
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Additional numbers attached  Yes  No

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

Name: Wayne O. Traynham

Internal Address: Senior Intellectual Property Counsel  
GE Industrial Control Systems GE Electric Company  
 Street Address: 1635 Broadway  
P.O. Box 2204  
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City: Ft. Wayne State: IN Zip: 46801-2204

6. Total number of applications & patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 40.00  
 Enclosed  
 Authorized to be charged to deposit account #14-1140

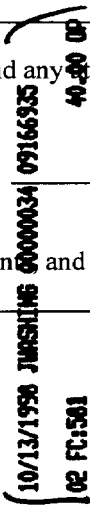
8. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper thereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140.**

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9. Statements and signature.  
 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.

Richard G. Besha Richard Besha October 6, 1998  
 Name of Person Signing Signature Date  
 Reg. No. 22,770

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**ASSIGNMENT**

In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which we acknowledge receipt, WILLIAM C. PETERS, DAVID G. SMITH and EDWARD G. APPLE, JR.; respectively, sell and assign to **General Electric Company**, a New York Corporation, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in **LENGTH GAUGE FOR *IN SITU* MEASUREMENT OF WATER ROD LENGTHS IN NUCLEAR FUEL BUNDLES AND METHODS OF MEASUREMENT**, for which a so-entitled application for Letters Patent of the United States is being executed concurrently herewith; and any and all applications for patent and patents therefor in any and all countries, including all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said improvements or resulting therefrom to said General Electric Company, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said Company, we will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to us respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

Date: Oct. 2, 1998

William C. Peters  
WILLIAM C. PETERS

State of North Carolina  
City of Wilmington

This 2nd day of October, 1998, before me personally came the above named WILLIAM C. PETERS, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes set forth therein.

Jeane D. Dennis  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
NEW HANOVER COUNTY, N. C.

My Commission Expires 7-24-01

Date: Oct 2nd 1998

David G. Smith  
DAVID G. SMITH

State of North Carolina  
City of Wilmington

This 2nd day of October, 1998, before me personally came the above named DAVID G. SMITH, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes set forth therein.

Jeane D. Dennis  
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NEW HANOVER COUNTY, N. C.

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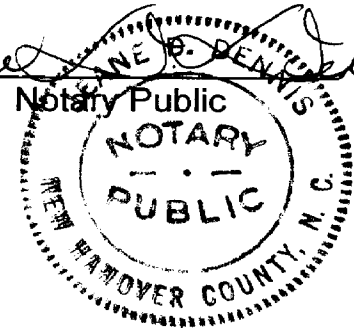
Edward G. Apple Jr.  
EDWARD G. APPLE, JR.

State of North Carolina

City of Wilmington

This 2nd day of October, 1998, before me personally came the above named EDWARD G. APPLE, JR., to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes set forth therein.

Jane B. Dennis



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