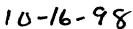


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## **ASSIGNMENT**

This Assignment made the 15th day of October, 1998.

WHEREAS, I Robert W. Arnold of 868 E. Main Road, Johnson City, NY 13790 have jointly made with Steven C. Beu of 13102 Humphrey Drive, Austin, TX 78729 an invention entitled INCREASED IONIZATION EFFICIENCY IN A MASS SPECTROMETER USING ELECTRON BEAM TRAJECTORY MODIFICATION for which, on even date herewith, I have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States and for which Steven C. Beu has separately executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, APPLIED AUTOMATION INC. ("AAI"), a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware, and having its principal place of business at Pawhuska Road, Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74005, is desirous of acquiring all of my entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States which shall be granted therefor, Steven C. Beu separately assigning all of his right, title and interest in and to said invention.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I Robert W. Arnold, intending to be legally bound, do hereby sell, assign and transfer to AAI all of my right, title and interest, for the United States of America, its territories and possessions, and for all foreign countries, in said invention, including said patent application, all divisions and continuations thereof, all rights to claim priority based thereon, all rights to file foreign applications on said invention, and all letters patent and reissues thereof, issuing for said invention in the United States of America and in any and all foreign countries.

It is agreed that I Robert W. Arnold shall be legally bound, upon request and at the expense of AAI or its successors and assigns or a legal representative thereof, to supply all information and evidence of which I have knowledge or possession, relating to the making and practice of the invention, to testify in any legal proceeding relating thereto, to execute all instruments and do such other acts as may be necessary and proper to patent the invention in the United States of America and foreign countries in the name of AAI or its successors and assigns and to execute all instruments proper to carry out the intent of this Assignment.

I Robert W. Arnold do hereby warrant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which will conflict with this Assignment.

I Robert W. Arnold hereby request the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the Letters Patent of the United States in accordance with this Assignment.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I Robert W. Arnold have executed this Assignment on the day and year first above written.

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