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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Multivac, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having its principal place of business at 11021 NW Pomona Avenue, Kansas City, County of Platte, and State of Missouri, is the owner of a United States Patent covering certain new and useful improvements in a

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for which a United States Patent has issued on July 28, 1998 bearing U.S. Patent No. 5,785,798; and

WHEREAS, MR Etikettiertechnik GmbH & Co. KG, of Postfach 340, D-32123 Enger, Germany (hereinafter "MR Etikettiertechnik") is desirous of acquiring an interest in, to and under said patent and any and all other Letters Patent which may be granted for or upon said invention in the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Multivac, Inc., has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto said MR Etikettiertechnik the full and exclusive right, title and interest, throughout the world, in, to and under said invention as fully set forth and described in the above-identified United States Patent; in, to and under said application; in, to and under any and all refilings, divisions and continuations of said application; in, to and under any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America which may issue from said application, refilings, divisions and continuations; in, to and under any and all reissues of said Letters Patent of the United States of America; in, to and under any and all applications for Letters Patent upon said invention which may hereafter be filed in any all countries foreign to the United States of America; in, to and under any and all refilings, divisions and continuations of said foreign-filed applications, refilings, divisions and continuations, and in, to and under any and all extensions of, and additions to, said Letters Patent of countries foreign to the United States of America, the same to be held and enjoyed by said MR Etikettiertechnik for its own use and behalf, and for its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said

Letters Patent may be granted, and Multivac, Inc., does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to record this Assignment in accordance with this assignment.

EXECUTED this 20th day of October, 19 98.

Donald E. Smith

By:
Title: **Donald E. Smith - COO**
For: Multivac, Inc.

Michael J. Fitzgerald

By:
Title: Michael J. Fitzgerald - Director of Legal
For: Multivac, Inc.

STATE OF Missouri :

COUNTY OF Craw :

Before me personally appeared Donald E. Smith and Michael J. Fitzgerald to me known to be the persons described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and they each duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth, on the day and year aforesaid.

Sinda K. Macrott
Notary Public

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