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# A S S I G N M E N T

**WHEREAS, RYAN S. RAZ and IOURI LAPPA**, whose post office addresses are 46 Gwynne Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, M6K 2C3, Canada; and 231 Robert Hicks Drive, North York, Ontario, Canada, M2R 3R3, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a

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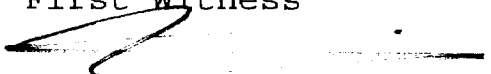
**AND WHEREAS, MORPHOMETRIX TECHNOLOGIES INC.**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Province of Ontario, Canada, having its head office and principal place of business at 112 Adelaide Street East, 4th Floor, Toronto, Ontario, M5C 1K9, Canada, has acquired from the said **RYAN S. RAZ and IOURI LAPPA** the whole right, title and interest for the United States of America, Canada, and all other countries in and to the said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be obtained therefor, and in and to said application.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, we, **RYAN S. RAZ and IOURI LAPPA**, hereby confirm that we have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer, and do so as of July 15, 1997, to the said **MORPHOMETRIX TECHNOLOGIES INC.**, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right to said invention in the United States, Canada and all other countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be obtained therefor,

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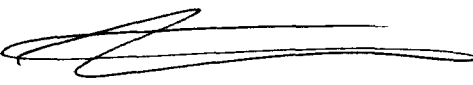
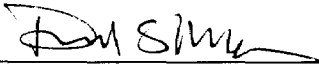
WE AGREE that we will without further consideration do all things and execute all such documents as may be necessary or desirable to obtain and maintain patents for said invention and for additions and modifications thereto in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto to said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

SIGNED, this 27 day of February, 1998, at  
Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

  
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Second Witness

  
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RYAN S. RAZ

SIGNED, this 27 day of February, 1998, at  
Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

  
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IOURI LAPPA