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Name: **Environmental Test Systems, Inc., a Delaware Corporation**

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Street Address: **23575 County Road 106**

City: **Elkhart** State: **IN** Zip: **46514**

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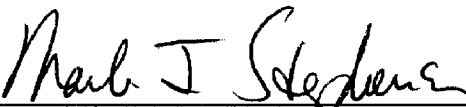
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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, **ENVIRONMENTAL TEST SYSTEMS, INC.**, an Indiana Corporation, of Elkhart, Indiana, having an address of 23575 County Road 106, Elkhart, Indiana 46514, did obtain Letters Patent of the United States for Patent No. 5,856,199, dated January 5, 1999, on a **COLORIMETRIC DRY REAGENT TEST DEVICE AND METHOD FOR THE DETERMINATION OF ANALYTES IN SOLUTIONS CONTAINING INTERFERING COLORED SUBSTANCES**; and

WHEREAS, **ENVIRONMENTAL TEST SYSTEMS, INC.**, a Delaware Corporation, of Elkhart, Indiana, having an address of 23575 County Road 106, Elkhart, Indiana 46514, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged), **ENVIRONMENTAL TEST SYSTEMS, INC.**, an Indiana Corporation, by these presents does sell, assign, and transfer unto **ENVIRONMENTAL TEST SYSTEMS, INC.**, a Delaware Corporation, the full and exclusive right in and to the said patent described above and the right to recover for past infringement, said Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said **ENVIRONMENTAL TEST SYSTEMS, INC.**, a Delaware Corporation, for their use and benefit, and for their legal representatives, successors or assigns to the full end of the term for which Letters Patent was granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by **ENVIRONMENTAL TEST SYSTEMS, INC.**, an Indiana Corporation, had this assignment and sale not been made.



Mark J. Stephenson, President
Environmental Test Systems, Inc.,
an Indiana Corporation

STATE OF Colorado)
COUNTY OF Larimer) ss

On this 5 day of February, 1999, before me a Notary Public, in and for the state aforesaid, appeared Mark J. Stephenson, President, to me personally known to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

Witness my hand and seal the day and year law above given.

Patricia M. Smith
Notary Public

Commission Expires August 9, 2001