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**And Said Assignee is Hereby Authorized** to make application for and to receive Letters Patent for said invention in any of said countries of its election.

**And By This Covenant The Undersigned** will execute or procure any further necessary assurance of title to said invention and Letters Patent; and at any time, upon the request and at the expense of said assignee, will execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said invention or any Letters Patents which may be granted therefor in said Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, and upon the request and at the expense of said assignee, will execute any additional or divisional applications for patents for said invention, or any part or parts thereof, and for the reissue of said Letters Patents to be granted therefor, and will make all rightful oaths and do all lawful acts requisite for procuring the same or for aiding therein without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

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Signed and sealed this 16 day of March, 1999.

Witness:

Rodney L. Skoglund  
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Signed and sealed this 14 day of February, 1999.

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