

ASSIGNMENT

For value received, I, **Lester R. Brodeur**, residing at **135 Bush Hill Road, Hudson, NH 03051**, a citizen of the United States of America, do hereby sell and assign for myself and my heirs, successors, and assigns, to **Lockheed Martin Corporation** (hereinafter referred to as the Company), a corporation of Maryland, acting through **Sanders, A Lockheed Martin Company**, having a place of business at 65 Spit Brook Road, Nashua, New Hampshire 03061, its successors, assigns, and nominees, my entire right, title and interest, in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, in and to the invention relating to improvements in

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONVERTING THE OUTPUT OF A PHOTODETECTOR
TO A LOG VOLTAGE**

invented by me, and the application for United States Patent therefor, **identified by Docket No. D-4403(SN-04403 of the Company) and executed concurrently herewith**, and all divisions and continuations thereof, and all Patents which may be granted therefor and all reissues and extensions thereof together with all my rights in and to the said invention and any Patents that may hereafter be obtained therefor in any and all foreign countries including the right of priority under the International Convention based on the said application and the right of said Company to apply in its own name for Letters Patent therefor in any and all foreign countries, where legally permissible, and authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all United States Patents on said invention or resulting therefrom to said Company as assignee of the entire interest, and covenant that I have full right so to do, and agree that I will communicate to said Company or its representatives any facts known to me respecting said invention and testify in any legal proceeding, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications and all assignments of said invention, make all rightful oaths, sign all lawful papers, if and when required to do so, and generally do everything reasonably possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

Signed at **Nashua, NH**, this 20th day of April, 1999



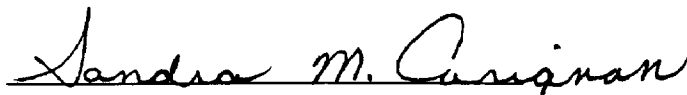
Lester R. Brodeur

State of **New Hampshire**)

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County of **Hillsborough**)

On this 20th day of April, 1999, before me appeared **Lester R. Brodeur** to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.



Notary Public

SANDRA M. CARIGNAN, Notary Public
My Commission Expires May 28, 2002