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BY _____
MINNIS E. RIDENOUR
Executive Vice President

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 17th day of September, 1996, by Minnis E. Ridenour, _____ of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, on behalf of said University.

Carolyn L. Ratcliffe
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DISCLOSURE NO.	TITLE
96-056	The Foursquare Antenna - An Element for Wideband Phased Arrays
96-057	New Continuous Current High Power Factor Electronic Ballast for Fluorescent Lamp
96-058	Method of Identification and Isolation of Disease Resistance Genes in Plants
96-059	Stud Loaded Helix Antenna
96-060	Circular-Doctor-Blading Technique for Slip-Casting Ceramic Thick Films on Inner Surfaces of Metal Tubes
96-061	Tertiary Phosphines and Catalysts Containing the Same and Chemical Processes using Tertiary Phosphine Containing Catalysts S.N.08/731,232
96-062	A Device Utilizing the Elastica to Characterize Surface Energies of Solids

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