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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I, Robert S. Hoskins, while employed by the United States of America, made jointly with Thomas R. Morgan, Richard White, Thomas W. Travis and Yasu Tai Chen, employees of the United States of America, an invention entitled OPERATIONAL READINESS AND LIFE SUPPORT SYSTEMS, described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States executed by me on the 16 day of July, 1999

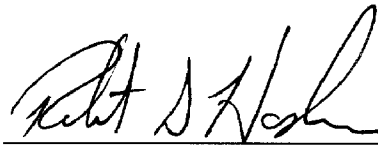
WHEREAS, the conditions under which said invention was made are such as to entitle the Government under paragraph 1(a) of Executive Order 10096, to the entire right, title and interest therein, including foreign rights; and

WHEREAS, as to such foreign rights, it is the policy of the Government to obtain an option to exercise such rights;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the premises and other valuable consideration, I, Robert S. Hoskins, have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto the Government of the United States, as represented by the Secretary of the Air Force, the entire right, title and interest throughout the United States of America, its territories and dependencies, in and to the aforesaid invention described in the aforesaid application for Letters Patent of the United States, and all Letters Patent issuing thereon and any continuations, divisions, and reissues or extensions thereof; I hereby authorize and request the commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to the United States of America, as represented by the Secretary of the Air Force, and his successors, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same throughout the United States of America, and its territories and dependencies, for the sole use for the full term or terms for which said Letters Patent and any continuations, divisions and reissues or extensions thereof are, or may be, granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me, Robert S. Hoskins, had this Assignment not been made; and I do hereby also grant unto the United States of America as represented by the Secretary of the Air Force, the option to take all of the right, title and interest in my invention or all applications for Letters Patent thereon in all countries foreign to the United States in which the United States of America may file or cause to be filed, applications for Letters Patent, without payment to me of any further consideration; provided, however, that this grant of an option to take foreign rights in the invention, or applications for Letters Patent thereon shall have force and effect only as to such applications filed in foreign countries within six months of the filing date of any application for United States Letters Patent covering my invention, within six months from the declassification of the invention, whichever is later, and that all foreign rights not exercised under the option are left to me subject to a nonexclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license to the United States of America in any patent which may issue on said invention in any foreign country, including the power to issue sublicenses for use on behalf of the United States of America and/or in furtherance of the foreign policies of the United States of America; and I, Robert S. Hoskins, hereby agree to execute any and all applications for Letters Patent, and to furnish all data and documents and to execute any papers which may be necessary for the preparation or filing of such domestic applications, or for the Government to exercise its option granted hereunder, except it shall be understood that I shall not be subject to any out-of-pocket expenses relative to such action.

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Robert S. Hoskins

SIGNED and acknowledged before me this 17 day of July, 1999, at
Warner Robins, County of Houston, and State of Ga.

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Notary Public

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My Commission Expires November 11, 2000.