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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Quixote Corporation
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Chicago, Illinois 60601

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

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321 South Main Street, Suite 102
Providence, RI 02903

3. Nature of conveyance:

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4. Application number(s) or application date(s):

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A. Application No. B. Application Date
08/902,844 **July 30, 1997**

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning this document should be mailed:

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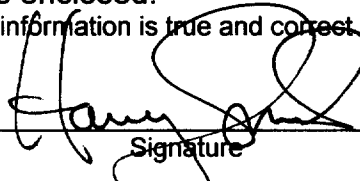
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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Harry F. Smith
Name of Person Signing



Signature Date 12/6/99

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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Quixote Corporation, a corporation of Delaware having a place of business at One East Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60601, (hereinafter called the "Assignor"), is the owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the following patent applications, as well as all inventions disclosed or claimed therein:

<u>File No.</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Serial No.</u>
112/152	U.S. (Based on Provisional S.N. 60/026,390)	08/902,844
112/167	Canada	2,265,744
112/168	China	97199800.0
112/169	EPO	97941598.1
112/170	Japan	10-513939
112/171	Korea	7002168/99
112/176	Hong Kong	(not yet assigned)

WHEREAS, SpectraDisc Corporation, a corporation of Delaware having a place of business at 155 South Main, Providence, Rhode Island, (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the above identified patents and inventions;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which by the Assignor from the Assignee is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto the Assignee, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in and to the patents and inventions hereinabove identified, and to any reissues, renewals or extensions thereof as may be granted; to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms of said patents, including the right to recover for past damages.

And the Assignor does hereby covenant and agree, for himself and his legal representatives, that he will assist the Assignee in the making and prosecution of any

reissue applications for Letters Patent that the Assignee may elect to make covering the inventions herein identified; in vesting in the Assignee like exclusive title in and to all such other applications and Letters Patent; and in the prosecution of any interference which may arise involving any of the above-identified inventions or patents; and that he will execute and deliver to the Assignee any and all additional papers which may be requested by the Assignee to fully carry out the terms of this assignment.

This assignment is made as of the 10th day of September, 1999.

Quixote Corporation

By: Leslie Jezuit
Leslie Jezuit, President

(SEAL)

STATE OF Illinois)
COUNTY OF Cook)

I, WENDY H. CARY, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that LESLIE J. JEZUIT, personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal, this 13th day of September, 1999.

Wendy H. Cary
Notary Public

(SEAL)

My Commission Expires: 3/29/00

