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- 2. The Patent and Trademark Security Agreement dated December 7, 1998, and executed by Empress Precision Instruments, Inc., a Michigan corporation ("Security Agreement"), was recorded by Comerica Bank in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 14, 1998 at Reel 9633, Frame 0847, perfecting its security interest in all of the Trademarks, Trademark Licenses, Patents and Patent Licenses (collectively referred to herein as "Patents and Trademarks") identified in the Security Agreement.
- 3. Upon execution of this Release, Comerica Bank hereby releases its security interest in any and all Patents and Trademarks identified in the Security Agreement.

WITNESSES: COMERICA BANK By: Januer & Changer

Its: DUSINESS CREDIT GITCEX STATE OF MICHIGAN)SS COUNTY OF WAYNE The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this What day of August, 1999, by THUREDY'S FLANAGAN, aCFFICER of Comerica Bank, a Michigan banking corporation, on behalf of the corporation. Notary Public My commission expires:

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