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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, LOUIS W. ERATH:

am the inventor of an invention called "Fiber Optic Geophone", the application for patent for which I am executing today; and

WHEREAS, GEOSENSOR CORPORATION wishes to acquire the entire interest in this invention and in the application and any divisional, continuing or reissue application describing the invention, throughout the world, and the entire right, title and interest in any Letters Patent of the United States and all other countries throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) paid by GEOSENSOR CORPORATION ("Assignee"), and for other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledge, I hereby assign to Assignee the entire interest in the invention throughout the world, and the application for United States Letters Patent and any divisions, continuations and reissues thereof, and any Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be granted therefor, the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its own use and for the use of its successors, assigns, or other legal representatives to the end of the term or terms for which the Letters Patent of the United States or foreign countries are granted or reissued, as fully as it would have been held by me if this assignment had not been made.

I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent of the United States on the invention or resulting from the application and from any divisions, continuations, and reissues thereof to the Assignee of the entire interest, and covenant that I have the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

I further covenant that I will promptly execute and deliver any papers that may be desirable to perfect the title of the invention and to such Letters Patent as may be granted therefor to the Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives; and that if the Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives shall desire to file any divisional or continuation application, or to secure a reissue of such Letters Patent, or to file a disclaimer relating thereto, I will do all lawful acts required for the filing of such disclaimer without further compensation, but at the expense of the Assignee, its successors or other legal representatives.

I further covenant that I will promptly communicate to the Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, such facts relating to the invention and Letters Patent or the file history thereof as may be known to me, and to willingly testify as to the same in any interference or other litigation when requested to do so.

EXECUTED on this the $\frac{13}{3}$ day of October, 1999.

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF HARRIS

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared, LOUIS W. ERATH known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to us that he executed same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE on this 2 day of October, 1999

> Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

My Commission Expires:



RECORDED: 10/15/1999