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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we BENJAMIN K. MILLER, JR., a citizen of the United States, residing at 736 South Illinois, League City, Texas 77573, U.S.A.; JAMES E. HALWACHS, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 6005 Barr Road, Ferndale, Washington 98248 U.S.A.; and ARNOLD J. FARSTAD, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 390 S. 68th Street, Boulder, Colorado 80303 U.S.A., (herein called "Assignors"), are the inventors and owners of a certain new and useful invention(s) (herein "Invention") and improvement(s) entitled "SONAR LOCATION MONITOR;" and

WHEREAS, Johnson Engineering Corporation, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Texas, and having a principal place of business at 555 Forge River Road, Suite 150, Webster, Texas 77589 (herein called "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring and Assignors are desirous of assigning to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to said Invention, improvement and any patent and patent application thereon in "SONAR LOCATION MONITOR."

NOW, THEREFORE, Assignors, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) cash in hand paid to them and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby SELL, ASSIGN and CONVEY unto Assignee all our right, title, and interest throughout the world in and to:

1. Said Invention and improvements in "SONAR LOCATION MONITOR;"
2. United States of America patent application on said Invention filed September 15, 1999, under Serial No. 09/396,232;
3. All applications for patent or like protection on said Invention that have now been or may in the future be made by Assignors or their legal representatives, whether in the United States of America or any other country or place anywhere in the world;

4. All patents and like protection that have now been or may in the future be granted on said Invention to Assignors or their legal representatives, whether in the United States of America or in any other country or place anywhere in the world;

5. All substitutions for and divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, reissues, extensions, and the like of said applications and patents and like grants, including without limitation, those obtained or permissible under past, present and future law or statutes;

6. All rights of action on account of past, present and future unauthorized use of said Invention and for infringement of said patents and like protection;

7. The right to Assignee to file in its name applications for patents and like protection for said Invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States; and

8. All international rights or priority associated with said Invention, applications, patents and like protection.

Assignors covenant that Assignors, their heirs, legal representatives, assigns, administrators, and executors will, at the expense of Assignee, its successors and assigns, execute all papers and perform such other acts as may be reasonably necessary to give Assignee, its successors and assigns, the full benefit of this Assignment.

The U.S. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby requested to issue U.S. Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment.

EXECUTED on the date indicated below opposite our signatures.

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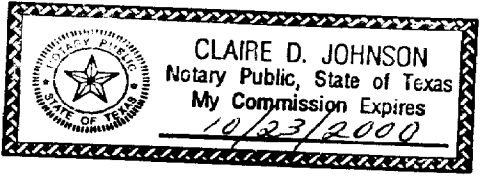
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This instrument was acknowledged by BENJAMIN K. MILLER, JR., on the 10th day of November, 1999.

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