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WHEREAS, I/WE, Ulrich KACZYNSKI

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, made certain new and useful inventions and improvements for which I/we executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on \_\_\_\_\_, said application having been assigned U.S. serial number \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_, and is entitled "VERFAHRBARER X/Y-KOORDINATEN-MESSTISCH"

AND WHEREAS, Leica Microsystems Wetzlar GmbH, having an office and place of business at Ernst-Leitz-Strasse, 35578 Wetzlar, Germany

(hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions, improvements, and application and in and to the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, I/we have sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed in the aforesaid application, and in and to the said application, all divisions, continuations, or renewals thereof (hereinafter "Applications"), all Letters Patents which may be granted therefrom, and all reissues or extensions of such Letters Patents; and I/we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patents for the aforesaid inventions and improvements to the said Assignee as the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for the use of the said Assignee, its successors, and assigns.

AND, for the consideration aforesaid, I/we do hereby agree that I/we and my/our executors and legal representatives will make, execute, and deliver without further remuneration any and all other instruments in writing including any and all further application papers, affidavits, assignments, and other documents, and will communicate to said Assignee, its successors, and representatives all facts known to me/us relating to said inventions and improvements and the history thereof and will testify in all legal proceedings relating to said Applications and Letters Patents and generally do all things which may be necessary or desirable more effectually to secure to and vest in said Assignee, its successors, or assigns the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said inventions, improvements, applications, Letters Patents, rights, titles, benefits, privileges, and advantages hereby sold, assigned, and conveyed, or intended so to be, the expenses incident to said Applications and Letters Patents to be borne and paid by said Assignee.

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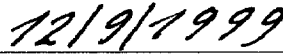
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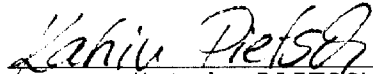
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