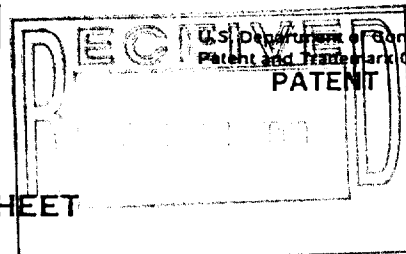


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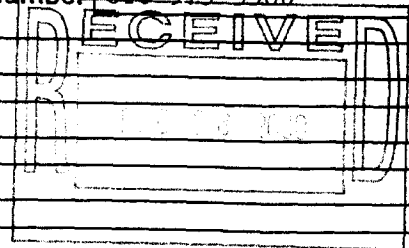
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## ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS, SIGNTECH USA, LTD.**, a Texas limited partnership, whose business address is 4669 Highway 90 West, San Antonio, Texas 78237, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), is the owner by assignment of the patents set forth in Schedule A attached hereto; and

**WHEREAS, SIGNCOMP, LLC.**, a Michigan limited liability company, whose business address is 2925 Walkent Court, Suite A., N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49544, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said patents set forth in Schedule A attached hereto;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, divisions, renewals, continuations, and continuations-in-part therefore, and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner for Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patents to the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.


Assignor further assigns to Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, any and all claims for damages by reason of past and continuing infringement of said patents, and the right to sue for and collect the same for its own use and benefit and that of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

**AND Assignor HEREBY** covenants that it has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that it has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF**, I hereunto set my hand this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2000.

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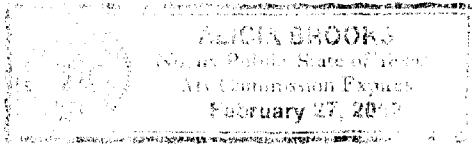
By: Gandy Group, Inc. a Texas corporation  
Its: General Partner

By:   
James Gandy  
Its: Vice President

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On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2000, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared James Gandy, to me known to be the person of that name, who signed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledges the same to be his free act and deed.



Alicia Brooks  
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<u>United States</u>			
SIGN (CONCEALED TENSIONING DEVICE)	4,542,605	10/11/83, S.N. 540,219, Continuation-in-part of S.N. 279,179, filed 6/10/81, now U.S. Pat. No. 4,452,000 (lapsed as of 6/5/92)	9/24/85
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SIGN ASSEMBLY	5,033,216	5/2/90, S.N. 518,103, Continuation-in-part of S.N. 321,044, filed 3/9/89, now U.S. Pat. No. 4,937,961	7/23/91 (Terminally Disclaimed after 7/3/2007)
<u>Foreign</u>			
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