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**Thomas O. Maginnis, Jr.**

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
☐ Other

Execution Date: **March 28, 2000**

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: **MKS Instruments, Inc.**

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: **6 Shattuck Road**

City: **Andover** State: **MA** ZIP: **01810**

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s):

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If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: **March 28, 2000**

A. Patent Application No.(s)

B. Patent No.(s)

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: **Toby H. Kusmer, Esq.**

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: **1**

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ **40.00**

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Signature

**March 30, 2000**

Date

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**PATENT**

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**ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT RIGHTS**

I, **Thomas O. Maginnis, Jr.**, residing at **95 Tennis Plaza Road, #18, Dracut, Massachusetts 01826**, having invented improvements in **CONSTANT TEMPERATURE GRADIENT DIFFERENTIAL THERMAL MASS FLOW SENSOR**, and having executed an application for United States patent describing the same and based thereon (authorizing the attorney(s) who are authorized to prosecute said application, to here insert the filing date and serial number of said application, when known, Serial No.

\_\_\_\_\_, Filed \_\_\_\_\_) do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto **MKS Instruments, Inc.** a **Massachusetts** Corporation having a principal place of business at **6 Shattuck Road, Andover, MA 01810, USA** and hereinafter referred to as the Assignee (which term shall include the successors and assigns), my entire right, title, and interest, in and throughout the United States of America (including its territories and dependencies) and all countries foreign thereto, in and to and under said application (which term shall include hereinafter where the context so admits all divisional, continuing, reissue and other patent applications based thereon) and all inventions (which term shall include each and every such invention, or any part thereof) therein described, and any and all patents and like rights of exclusion (including extensions thereof) of any country which may be granted on or for said inventions or on said application.

And I do also hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the Assignee all my rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty and all other treaties of like purpose in respect of said inventions and said application, and I do hereby authorize the Assignee to apply in my name or in their own name (in a manner to be agreed upon by the Assignee) or their designee, for patents and like rights of exclusion on or for said inventions in all countries, claiming (if the Assignee so desires) the priority of the filing date of said application under the provisions of said Convention, Treaty or any such other Convention or Treaty;

And I do hereby jointly and severally agree for myself and for my respective heirs, executors and administrators, promptly upon request of the Assignee, to execute and deliver without further compensation any power of attorney, assignment, original, divisional, continuing, reissue or other application or applications for patent or patents or like rights of exclusion of any country, or other lawful documents and any further assurances that may be deemed necessary or desirable by the Assignee fully to secure to it said right, title, and interest as aforesaid in and to said inventions, application, and said several patents and like rights of exclusion, or any of them, all, however, at the expense of the Assignee;

And I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the corresponding Official of each country foreign thereto to issue to the Assignee any and all patents and like rights of exclusion which may be granted in any country upon said application or on or for said inventions;

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And I do hereby jointly and severally covenant for myself and for my respective legal representatives and agree with the Assignee that I have granted no right or license to make, use or sell said inventions to anyone except the Assignee, that prior to the execution of this deed my right, title and interest in and to said inventions has not been otherwise encumbered by me, and that I have not executed and will not execute any instrument in conflict herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2000.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
County of Suffolk }

Thomas O. Maginnis, Jr.  
Thomas O. Maginnis, Jr.

Before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2000,  
personally appeared Thomas O. Maginnis, Jr., who is to me personally known, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed.

Paul J. [Signature]  
Notary Public  
My Comm. exp. 12/25/03

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