FORM PTO Expires 06/30/99 OMB 0651-0027		05-08-2000 101349925		U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office PATENT
	4.21.00 RECORDA	ATION FORM COV PATENTS ONL		
	missioner of Patents and Trademark	ks: Please record the at	tached original docum	nent(s) or copy(ies).
Submission	туре			
X New		X Assignment	Security Agree	ment
	ission (Non-Recordation) nt ID#	License	Change of Nam	le
Correction	on of PTO Error	Merger	Other	
Correctiv	/e Document	(For Use	U.S. Government	Agencies)
Reel #	Frame #	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	artmental File	Secret File
	-	Mark if additional na	ames of conveying parties	s attached Execution Date
Name (line 1)	Essex Group, Inc.			10 1 99
Name (line 2)				Execution Date
Second Party Name (line 1)	Essex Technology, Ind	2.		Month Day Year
Name (line 2)		·····		
Receiving P	artv		k if additional names of re	
		Midi		If document to be recorded
				is an assignment and the receiving party is not domiciled in the United
Name (line 2)				States, an appointment of a domestic
Address (line 1)	55 Main Street	<u></u>		representative is attached. (Designation must be a separate document from
Address (line 2)		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Assignment.)
Address (line 3)	Newmarket	N H State/Country	03857 Zip Co	
Domestic Re	epresentative Name and Ad		the first Receiving Party	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Name				,
ا		······································		
Address (line 1)				
Address (line 2)				
Address (line 3)				
Address (line 4)	CURTES 00000133 4389597			
01 FC:581	520.00 UP F	OR OFFICE USE ONLY		
<b>VA</b>   310				
	ing for this collection of information is estimated to ave	rage approximately 30 minutes per (	Cover Sheet to be recorded, inclu	ding time for reviewing the document and
eathering the data pe	ing for this collection of information is estimated to ave eded to complete the Cover Sheet. Send comments re coffice of information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of n Budget Package 0651-0027, Patent and Trademark A Mail documents to be recorde Commissioner of Patents and Tra	Management and Budget, Paperwork Assignment Practice. DO NOT SEND ad with required COVER S	k Reduction Project (0651-0027), ( REQUESTS TO RECORD ASSIGN heet(s) information to	Washington, D.C. 20503. See OMB NMENT DOCUMENTS TO THIS ADDRESS.
1				

Correspondent Name and Address	Area Code and Telephone Number	303-527-0400
Name Hunter R. Glasscoc	k	
Address (line 1) TAAD Industries In	corporated	
Address (line 2) 6654 Gunpark Drive	, Suite 102	
Address (line 3) Boulder, Colorado	80301	
Address (line 4)		
Pages Enter the total number of pa including any attachments.	ges of the attached conveyance docu	ument # 6
Application Number(s) or Patent Num	nber(s) XX Mark	if additional numbers attached
Enter either the Patent Application Number or the P		
Patent Application Number(s)		ent Number(s)
	4,389,587 4	,704,335 4,775,566
	4,705,657 5	,032,199 5,045,136
	4,601,931 4	,601,952 4,603,088
If this document is being filed together with a <u>new</u> Pater signed by the first named executing inventor.	nt Application, enter the date the patent application	ation was <u>Month Day Year</u>
Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT)		
Enter PCT application number		
only if a U.S. Application Number has not been assigned.	РСТ	PCT
Number of Properties	al number of properties involved.	# 13
Fee Amount Fee Amount f	or Properties Listed (37 CFR 3.41):	\$ 520.00
Method of Payment: Enclo Deposit Account		
(Enter for payment by deposit account or if additional additiona Additional additional additiona	tional fees can be charged to the account.) eposit Account Number:	#
	uthorization to charge additional fees:	Yes No
Statement and Signature		
To the best of my knowledge and be attached copy is a true copy of the o indicated herein.	•••	2
Name of Persón Signing	Signature	Date

FORM	PTO-1619C
Expires 06	/30/99
OMB 0651	-0027

## RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET CONTINUATION PATENTS ONLY

U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office PATENT

<b>Conveying Pa</b>	arty(ies)	Mark if additio	onal names of conveying p	parties attached	
Enter additional C	Conveying Parties		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		Execution Date Month Day Year
Name (line 1)					
Name (line 2)					Execution Date Month Day Year
Name (line 1)				]	
Name (line 2)					Execution Date Month Day Year
Name (line 1)					
Name (line 2)					
<b>Receiving Pa</b>	rty(ies)		Mark if additional names of	of receiving partie	es attached
Enter additional I	Receiving Party(ies)	L			
Name (line 1)					If document to be recorded is an assignment and the
Name (line 2)					receiving party is not domiciled in the United States, an appointment
Address (line 1)					of a domestic representative is attached. (Designation must be a separate
Address (line 2)					document from Assignment.)
Address (line 3)	City		State/Country	Zip Cod	e
Name (line 1)			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		If document to be recorded is an assignment and the receiving party is not
Name (line 2)					domiciled in the United States, an appointment of a domestic representative is
Address (line 1)					attached. (Designation must be a separate document from Assignment.)
Address (line 2)					
Address (line 3)	City		State/Country	Zip C	ode
Application N	lumber(s) or Patent N	umber(s)	Mark if additional nu	Imbers attached	umo property)
Enter either th	e Patent Application Number or	the Patent Number	(DO NOT ENTER BOTH n	Patent Numb	nne property).
Pa	atent Application Number	(s)			
			4,683,162	4,783,36	5 4,057,052
			4,707,209		
				l	

# Patent Schedule

Patent No.	Issue Date	<u>Title</u>
4,389,587	06/21/83	Unitary Sleeving Insulation
4,704,335	11/03/87	Highly Flexible Silicone Rubber Inorganic Sleeving
4,775,566	10/04/88	High Temperature Flexible Unitary Sleeving Insulation
4,705,657	11/10/87	Method of Making and Applying Ethylene-Propylene Diene Terpolymer Texturized Heat Shrinkable Tubing
5,032,199	07/16/91	Method of Making a High Temperature Flexible Unitary Sleeving Insulation
5,045,136	09/03/91	Method of Manufacturing a Heat Shrinkable Article
4,601,931	07/22/86	High Density, Moisture Resistant Mica Cylinders
4,601,952	07/22/86	High Density Moisture Resistant Mica Sheet
4,603,088	07/29/86	Neoalkoxy Titanate in High Density Mica Laminates
4,683,162	07/28/87	Mica Product
4,783,365	11/08/88	Mica Product
4,637,852	01/20/87	Neoalkoxy Titanate in High Density Mica Laminates
4,707,209	11/17/87	Method of Making High Density Moisture Resistant Mica Sheet

AssignmentSchedule

#### PATENT ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, Essex Group, Inc., a corporation of the State of Michigan ("ESSEX"), having its principal office and place of business at 1601 Wall Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46802, and Essex Technology, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of ESSEX, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal office and place of business at 300 Delaware Avenue, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 ("TECHNOLOGY" together with ESSEX hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), is the sole and exclusive owner of record in the United States Patent and Trademark Office for the letters patents of the United States of America listed on the Schedule attached hereto.

Suflex Incorporated, a corporation of the State of Delaware, (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), having its principal office and place of business at 55 Main Street, Newmarket, New Hampshire 03857 is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in, to and under said aforementioned patents, and the inventions, discoveries and improvements covered thereby (hereinafter the "PROPERTY").

Therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt thereof which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to ASSIGNEE the aforementioned PROPERTY, the same to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE for its own use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, to the end of the terms for which the said PROPERTY has been or will be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR if this assignment and sale had not been made; together with all claims by ASSIGNOR for damages by reason of past infringement of any of the PROPERTY,

> 312 263 3270 PAGE.14 PATENT REEL: 010756 FRAME: 0570

١

Ø 015

with the right to sue for, and collect the same for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

ASSIGNOR agrees that it will, by its officers, employees, legal representatives or other persons duly authorized, communicate to ASSIGNEE or the representatives thereof any facts known to it respecting said PROPERTY, and will, upon request, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by ASSIGNEE or by counsel for ASSIGNEE, to assist or enable ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. ASSIGNOR additionally agrees to execute short form copies of this assignment or portions thereof regarding any or all of the aforementioned PROPERTY, as required by ASSIGNEE in the future.

ASSIGNOR agrees to waive all rights and privileges to attack the utility, novelty or validity of any or all of the aforesaid existing patents, or patents which mature from the listed applications which ASSIGNOR has assigned, as against any one claiming a right under any or all of the aforementioned PROPERTY under any purported assignment or grant by ASSIGNOR.

ASSIGNOR warrants that together they are the sole and exclusive owners of the PROPERTY listed on the attached schedule, and that the PROPERTY is free of all liens, security interests, claims or other encumbrances.

All of the warranties, representations and other agreements of ESSEX made in that certain Asset Purchase Agreement ("Agreement") dated as of September 28, 1999 between ESSEX and TAAD Industries Incorporated, which assigned its rights and obligations thereunder to ASSIGNEE pursuant to that certain Assignment and Assumption Agreement dated of even

SEP 29 1999 14:07

date therewith, shall survive the delivery of this document to the extent provided in the Agreement.

### IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of ESSEX GROUP, INC. and ESSEX

TECHNOLOGY, INC., has caused its name to be signed by its respective duly authorized representative and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto this lst day of October 1999.

ESSEX GROUP, INC.

By: Name: Charles W. McGregor Title: \_\_\_

President OEM Group

ATTEST: Jerome T. Chalwick By: \_ Its: Assistant Secretary

### ESSEX TECHNOLOGY, INC.,

By: Name: Dou Pett las Title: Pre ident

ATTEST:

Larry L. Puls By: Its: Treasurer

MAS1881

SEP 29 1999 14:07

016

STATE OF <u>Indiana</u>) ) SS. COUNTY OF Allen

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this <u>lst</u> day of <u>October</u>, 1999, before me personally appeared <u>Charles W. McGregor</u> and <u>Jerome T. Chalwick</u>, <u>President CEW Croop</u> wasder <u>Associant Secutary</u> respectively of ESSEX GROUP, INC., a corporation of the State of Michigan, to me known to be the same persons who signed the foregoing instrument as their free act and deed as such <u>Pres., OEM Group and Assistant Sec'y</u>. for the use and purpose therein mentioned, and that the said instrument is the act and deed of said corporation.

WITNESS my signature and official seal at <u>Ft. Wayne</u>, in the County of <u>Allen</u> and State of <u>Indiana</u>, the day and year last aforesaid.

(NOTARY SEAL)

Norma & Vach Notary Public

Notary Public Donna J. Vach My Commission Expires: <u>11-2-99</u>

312 263 3270 PAGE.05 PATENT REEL: 010756 FRAME: 0573

STATE	OF _	Indiana	)	
	_		)	SS.
COUNTY	OF	Allen	)	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this <u>lst</u> day of <u>October</u>, 1999, before me personally appeared <u>Douglas L. Pett</u> and <u>Larry L. Puls</u>, <u>Precident</u> and <u>MedSauret</u>, respectively of ESSEX TECHNOLOGY, INC., a Delaware corporation, to me known to be the same persons who signed the foregoing instrument as their free act and deed as such <u>President</u> and <u>Treasurer</u> for the use and purpose therein mentioned, and that the said instrument is the act and deed of said corporation.

WITNESS my signature and official seal at Ft. Wayne in the County of Allen and State of Indiana, the day and year last aforesaid.

(NOTARY SEAL)

Notary Públic Donna J. Vach My Commission Expires: 11-2-99

SEP 29 1999 14:05

312 263 3270 PAGE.06

# Patent Schedule

Patent No.	Issue Date	Title
4,389,587	06/21/83	Unitary Sleeving Insulation
4,704,335	11/03/87	Highly Flexible Silicone Rubber Inorganic Sleeving
4,775,566	10/04/88	High Temperature Flexible Unitary Sleeving Insulation
4,705,657	11/10/87	Method of Making and Applying Ethylene-Propylene Diene Terpolymer Texturized Heat Shrinkable Tubing
5,032,199	07/16/91	Method of Making a High Temperature Flexible Unitary Sleeving Insulation
5,045,136	09/03/91	Method of Manufacturing a Heat Shrinkable Article
4,601,931	07/22/86	High Density, Moisture Resistant Mica Cylinders
4,601,952	07/22/86	High Density Moisture Resistant Mica Sheet
4,603,088	07/29/86	Neoalkoxy Titanate in High Density Mica Laminates
4,683,162	07/28/87	Mica Product
4,783,365	11/08/88	Mica Product
4,637,852	01/20/87	Neoalkoxy Titanate in High Density Mica Laminates
4,707,209	11/17/87	Method of Making High Density Moisture Resistant Mica Sheet

Г			
FORM PTO Expires 06/30/99 OMB 0651-0027	-1619A		U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office PATENT
			- 7
		PATENTS ONLY	
	missioner of Patents and Trademark		ginal document(s) or copy(ies).
Submission	туре	Conveyance Type	
Resubmi	ssion (Non-Recordation)		urity Agreement
Documer	on of PTO Error		
Reel #	Frame #	Merger Othe	er
Correctiv	Frame #	(For Use ONLY by U.S.	Government Agencies)
Conveying F		Mark if additional names of conv	
Name (line 1)			Month Day Year
	Essex Group, Inc.		
Name (line 2) Second Party			Execution Date
Name (line 1)	Essex Technology, Inc	•	Month Day Year 10 1 99
Name (line 2)			
<b>Receiving Pathered</b>	arty	Mark if additiona	I names of receiving parties attached
Name (line 1)	Suflex Incorporated		If document to be recorded is an assignment and the
Name (line 2)			receiving party is not domiciled in the United States, an appointment
Address (line 1)	55 Main Street		of a domestic representative is attached. (Designation must be a separate document from
Address (line 2)			Assignment)
Address (line 3)	Newmarket	N H State/Country	03857 Zip Code
Domestic Re	epresentative Name and Ad		eiving Party only.
Name			
Address (line 1)			
Address (line 2)			
Address (line 3)			
Address (line 4)			
	FC	OR OFFICE USE ONLY	
Public burden reporti	ng for this collection of information is estimated to ave	age approximately 30 minutes per Cover Sheet to b perting this burden estimate to the U.S. Patent and T	e recorded, including time for reviewing the document and redemark Office, Chief Information Officer, Washington, act (0651-0027), Washington, D.C. 20503. See OMB
	oded to complete the Cover shiet. Set of Complete the Cover shiet of Complete the Cover shiet of Covers of Covers and Trademark A	tanagement and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Proj ssignment Practice. DO NOT SEND REQUESTS TO which required power sheet(s) info	RECORD ASSIGNMENT DOCUMENTS TO THIS ADDRESS.
	Commissioner of Patents and Tra		
		REEL	: 010756 FRAME: 0576

FORM PTO-1 Expires 06/30/99 OMB 0651-0027	619B	Page 2	U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office PATENT
Corresponder	nt Name and Address	Area Code and Telephone Number	303-527-0400
Name	Hunter R. Glasscock	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Address (line 1)	TAAD Industries Inc	orporated	
Address (line 2)	6654 Gunpark Drive,	Suite 102	
Address (line 3)	Boulder, Colorado 8	0301	
Address (line 4)			
	nter the total number of page ncluding any attachments.	es of the attached conveyance docur	nent # 6
	Imber(s) or Patent Num	Der(s) XX Mark if	additional numbers attached
		ent Number (DO NOT ENTER BOTH numbers	for the same property).
Patent	Application Number(s)		t Number(s)
		4,389,587 4,	704,335 4,775,566
		4,705,657 5,	032,199 5,045,136
		4,601,931 4,	601,952 4,603,088
	ing filed together with a <u>new</u> Patent med executing inventor.	Application, enter the date the patent application	
Patent Cooperation	ation Treaty (PCT)		
	CT application number		
•	a U.S. Application Number been assigned.	PCT PCT	РСТ
Number of Pro	nerties	number of properties involved. #	13
Fee Amount	Fee Amount for	Properties Listed (37 CFR 3.41): \$	520.00
Method of F Deposit Ac		ed X Deposit Account	
(Enter for pay	ment by deposit account or if additio	nal fees can be charged to the account.) Sosit Account Number:	ŧ
	•	horization to charge additional fees:	Yes No
Statement and	Signature		
attached o indicated	copy is a true copy of the orighter the content of the orighter the content of the orighter of the content of t	ef, the foregoing information is true a ginal document. Charges to deposit	
Mark /c	ga /+++ns runy S Persón Signing	Mail segal	<u> </u>
Name of	Person Signing	Signature	Date

FORM PTC Expires 06/30/99 OMB 0651-0027	0-1619C	CON	ON FORM ITINUAT ENTS C	-	T	U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office <b>PATENT</b>
Conveying	Party(ies) / Conveying Parties	Ma	ork if addition	nal names of conveying	parties attache	ed Execution Date
Name (line 1)						Month Day Year
		· · ·				
Name (line 2)	·····			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	·	Execution Date Month Day Year
Name (line 1)		······································				
Name (line 2)		······				Execution Date
Name (line 1)						Month Day Year
Name (line 2)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					
Receiving P	•		M	ark if additional names	of receiving pa	Inties attached
Enter additional	Receiving Party(ies,	)				
Name (line 1)	)					If document to be recorded is an assignment and the
Name (line 2)						receiving party is not domiciled in the United States, an appointment
Address (line 1)						of a domestic representative is attached. (Designation must be a separate
Address (line 2)						document from Assignment.)
Address (line 3)	) Ci	ty		State/Country	Zip C	Code
Name (line 1)						If document to be recorded is an assignment and the
Name (line 2)	)					receiving party is not domiciled in the United States, an appointment of a
Address (line 1)	)					domestic representative is attached. (Designation must be a separate document from Assignment.)
Address (line 2)						Assignmenc)
Address (line 3)				State/Country	Zig	o Code
Application	City Number(S) or Pa he Patent Application N	atent Number	(S)	Mark if additional n	umbers attache	d
	Patent Application				Patent Nur	nber(s)
P				4,683,162	4,783,3	4,637,852
[				4,707,209		
	]					
	]	7				

#### PATENT ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, Essex Group, Inc., a corporation of the State of Michigan ("ESSEX"), having its principal office and place of business at 1601 Wall Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46802, and Essex Technology, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of ESSEX, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal office and place of business at 300 Delaware Avenue, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 ( "TECHNOLOGY" together with ESSEX hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), is the sole and exclusive owner of record in the United States Patent and Trademark Office for the letters patents of the United States of America listed on the Schedule attached hereto.

Suflex Incorporated, a corporation of the State of Delaware, (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), having its principal office and place of business at 55 Main Street, Newmarket, New Hampshire 03857 is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in, to and under said aforementioned patents, and the inventions, discoveries and improvements covered thereby (hereinafter the "PROPERTY").

Therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt thereof which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to ASSIGNEE the aforementioned PROPERTY, the same to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE for its own use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, to the end of the terms for which the said PROPERTY has been or will be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR if this assignment and sale had not been made; together with all claims by ASSIGNOR for damages by reason of past infringement of any of the PROPERTY,

> 312 263 3270 PAGE.14 PATENT REEL: 010756 FRAME: 0579

SEP 29 1999 14:07

١

015

with the right to sue for, and collect the same for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

ASSIGNOR agrees that it will, by its officers, employees, legal representatives or other persons duly authorized, communicate to ASSIGNEE or the representatives thereof any facts known to it respecting said PROPERTY, and will, upon request, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by ASSIGNEE or by counsel for ASSIGNEE, to assist or enable ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. ASSIGNOR additionally agrees to execute short form copies of this assignment or portions thereof regarding any or all of the aforementioned PROPERTY, as required by ASSIGNEE in the future.

ASSIGNOR agrees to waive all rights and privileges to attack the utility, novelty or validity of any or all of the aforesaid existing patents, or patents which mature from the listed applications which ASSIGNOR has assigned, as against any one claiming a right under any or all of the aforementioned PROPERTY under any purported assignment or grant by ASSIGNOR.

ASSIGNOR warrants that together they are the sole and exclusive owners of the PROPERTY listed on the attached schedule, and that the PROPERTY is free of all liens, security interests, claims or other encumbrances.

All of the warranties, representations and other agreements of ESSEX made in that certain Asset Purchase Agreement ("Agreement") dated as of September 28, 1999 between ESSEX and TAAD Industries Incorporated, which assigned its rights and obligations thereunder to ASSIGNEE pursuant to that certain Assignment and Assumption Agreement dated of even

> 312 263 3270 PAGE.15 PATENT REEL: 010756 FRAME: 0580

date therewith, shall survive the delivery of this document to the extent provided in the Agreement.

## IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of ESSEX GROUP, INC. and ESSEX

**TECHNOLOGY, INC.**, has caused its name to be signed by its respective duly authorized representative and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto this <u>lst</u> day of <u>October</u>. 1999.

ESSEX GROUP, INC.

By: Name: Charles W. McGregor Title: President OEM Group

ATTEST: Jerome T. Chalwick By: \_ Secretary Its: Assistant

ESSEX TECHNOLOGY, INC.,

By: Doι Pett Name: 25

Title: President

ATTEST:

By: Larry L. Puls Its: Treasurer

MAS1881



STATE OF <u>Indiana</u>) ) SS. COUNTY OF Allen

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this <u>lst</u> day of <u>October</u>, 1999, before me personally appeared <u>Charles W. McGregor</u> and <u>Jerome T. Chalwick</u>, <u>Fresident CEW Croup</u> waxdx <u>Assident Secutary</u> respectively of ESSEX GROUP, INC., a corporation of the State of Michigan, to me known to be the same persons who signed the foregoing instrument as their free act and deed as such <u>Pres., OEM Group and Assistant Sec'y</u>. for the use and purpose therein mentioned, and that the said instrument is the act and deed of said corporation.

WITNESS my signature and official seal at <u>Ft. Wayne</u>, in the County of <u>Allen</u> and State of <u>Indiana</u>, the day and year last aforesaid.

(NOTARY SEAL)

Wanna & Vach tary Public

Notary Public Donna J. Vach My Commission Expires: <u>11-2-99</u>

STATE C	F	Indiana	)	
			)	SS.
COUNTY	OF	Allen	)	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this <u>lst</u> day of <u>October</u>, 1999, before me personally appeared <u>Douglas L. Pett</u> and <u>Larry L. Puls</u>, <u>President</u> <u>Rick <u>Indecuri</u></u>, respectively of ESSEX TECHNOLOGY, INC., a Delaware corporation, to me known to be the same persons who signed the foregoing instrument as their free act and deed as such <u>President</u> and <u>Treasurer</u> for the use and purpose therein mentioned, and that the said instrument is the act and deed of said corporation.

WITNESS my signature and official seal at <u>Ft. Wayne</u>, in the County of <u>Allen</u> and State of <u>Indiana</u>, the day and year last aforesaid.

(NOTARY SEAL)

Notary Públic Donna J. Vach My Commission Expires: 11-2-99

312 263	3270	PAGE.06				
PATENT						
REEL: 010756 FRAME: 0583						

<u>د با ا</u>

SEP 29 1999 14:05

### PATENT ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, Essex Group, Inc., a corporation of the State of Michigan ("ESSEX"), having its principal office and place of business at 1601 Wall Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46802, and Essex Technology, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of ESSEX, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal office and place of business at 300 Delaware Avenue, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 ("TECHNOLOGY" together with ESSEX hereinafter "ASSIGNOR"), is the sole and exclusive owner of record in the United States Patent and Trademark Office for the letters patents of the United States of America listed on the Schedule attached hereto.

Suflex Incorporated, a corporation of the State of Delaware, (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), having its principal office and place of business at 55 Main Street, Newmarket, New Hampshire 03857 is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in, to and under said aforementioned patents, and the inventions, discoveries and improvements covered thereby (hereinafter the "PROPERTY").

Therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt thereof which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to ASSIGNEE the aforementioned PROPERTY, the same to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE for its own use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, to the end of the terms for which the said PROPERTY has been or will be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR if this assignment and sale had not been made; together with all claims by ASSIGNOR for damages by reason of past infringement of any of the PROPERTY,

١

<sup>312</sup> 263 3278 PATENT REEL: 010756 FRAME: 0584

015

with the right to sue for, and collect the same for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

ASSIGNOR agrees that it will, by its officers, employees, legal representatives or other persons duly authorized, communicate to ASSIGNEE or the representatives thereof any facts known to it respecting said PROPERTY, and will, upon request, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by ASSIGNEE or by counsel for ASSIGNEE, to assist or enable ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. ASSIGNOR additionally agrees to execute short form copies of this assignment or portions thereof regarding any or all of the aforementioned PROPERTY, as required by ASSIGNEE in the future.

ASSIGNOR agrees to waive all rights and privileges to attack the utility, novelty or validity of any or all of the aforesaid existing patents, or patents which mature from the listed applications which ASSIGNOR has assigned, as against any one claiming a right under any or all of the aforementioned PROPERTY under any purported assignment or grant by ASSIGNOR.

ASSIGNOR warrants that together they are the sole and exclusive owners of the PROPERTY listed on the attached schedule, and that the PROPERTY is free of all liens, security interests, claims or other encumbrances.

All of the warranties, representations and other agreements of ESSEX made in that certain Asset Purchase Agreement ("Agreement") dated as of September 28, 1999 between ESSEX and TAAD Industries Incorporated, which assigned its rights and obligations thereunder to ASSIGNEE pursuant to that certain Assignment and Assumption Agreement dated of even date therewith, shall survive the delivery of this document to the extent provided in the Agreement.

### IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of ESSEX GROUP, INC. and ESSEX

**TECHNOLOGY, INC.**, has caused its name to be signed by its respective duly authorized representative and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto this <u>lst</u> day of <u>October</u> 1999.

ESSEX GROUP, INC.

By: Name: Charles W. McGregor Title: President OEM Group

ATTEST:

Its: Assistant Secretary

ESSEX TECHNOLOGY, INC.,

By: Pett Name:

Title: \_\_\_\_President

ATTEST:

By: Larry L. Puls Its: Treasurer

MAS1881



SEP 29 1999 14:07

STATE OF <u>Indiana</u> ) ) SS. COUNTY OF Allen )

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this <u>lst</u> day of <u>October</u>, 1999, before me personally appeared <u>Charles W. McGregor</u> and <u>Jerome T. Chalwick</u>, <u>President CEW Group</u> <u>wands</u> <u>Assistant Scrittany</u> respectively of ESSEX GROUP, INC., a corporation of the State of Michigan, to me known to be the same persons who signed the foregoing instrument as their free act and deed as such <u>Pres., OEM Group</u> and <u>Assistant Sec'y</u>. for the use and purpose therein mentioned, and that the said instrument is the act and deed of said corporation.

WITNESS my signature and official seal at Ft. Wayne in the County of Allen and State of Indiana, the day and year last aforesaid.

(NOTARY SEAL)

Norma & Vach

Notary Public Donna J. Vach My Commission Expires: <u>11-2-99</u>

STATE OF	Indiana	)		
		)	SS.	
COUNTY OF	Allen	)		

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this <u>lst</u> day of <u>October</u>, 1999, before me personally appeared <u>Douglas L. Pett</u> and <u>Larry L. Puls</u>, <u>President</u> <u>end</u> <u>InedSureA</u>, respectively of ESSEX TECHNOLOGY, INC., a Delaware corporation, to me known to be the same persons who signed the foregoing instrument as their free act and deed as such <u>President</u> and <u>Treasurer</u> for the use and purpose therein mentioned, and that the said instrument is the act and deed of said corporation.

WITNESS my signature and official seal at <u>Ft. Wayne</u>, in the County of <u>Allen</u> and State of <u>Indiana</u>, the day and year last aforesaid.

(NOTARY SEAL)

Notary Públic Donna J. Vach My Commission Expires: 11-2-99

312 263 3270 PAGE.06 PATENT REEL: 010756 FRAME: 0588

SEP 29 1999 14:05

**RECORDED: 04/21/2000**