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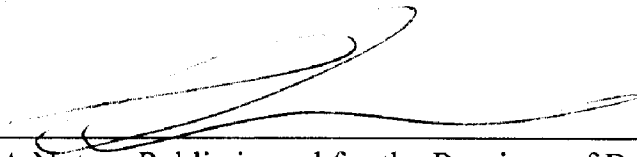
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# NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE

CANADA, PROVINCE OF )  
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I, ANTONY C. EDWARDS, a Notary Public in and for the Province of British Columbia, Canada, by royal authority duly appointed, DO CERTIFY that the paper writing hereto annexed is a true copy of an original document produced and shown to me and purporting to be an Assignment made the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1999 between MacMillan Bloedel Limited and CAE Newnes Ltd., the said copy having been compared by me with the said original document, an act whereby being requested I have granted under my Notarial form and seal of office to serve and avail as occasion shall or may require.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal of office at the City of Kelowna, in the Province of British Columbia, Canada this 10<sup>TH</sup> day of February, 2000.



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A Notary Public in and for the Province of British Columbia, Canada. My Commission is for life.

# **ASSIGNMENT**

**WHEREAS MACMILLAN BLOEDEL LIMITED** (hereinafter called the "Assignor"), of 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 925 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, V6C 3L2, is the owner of certain inventions or improvements described and claimed in:

Title: *Log Scanner*  
 Patent Number: Canada 1,301,371  
 United States 5,023,805  
 Australia 617,211  
 Australia 637,933  
 Finland 91677\*  
 NZ 230371  
 NZ-1 242144  
 NZ 242145  
 Sweden 467940\*

Title: *Lumber Optimizer*  
 Patent Number: United States 4,879,752  
 Canada 1,281,392  
 Australia 606015  
 Finland 94290  
 Japan 2,670,114  
 NZ 226540  
 NZ-1 233743  
 Sweden 8804153-8\*\*

Title: *Color Sorting of Lumber*  
 Patent Number: United States 4,992,949  
 Canada 1,323,332

Title: *Improved Log Scanning*  
 Patent Number: Canada 2,131,919\*  
 United States 5,394,342  
 Chile 272-94

Title: *Lumber Moisture Content Sorter*  
 Patent Number: Canada 1,278,071

\* denotes Pending Application No.

\*\* denotes Application No. now granted as SE 504547

(hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Patents");

**AND WHEREAS, CAE NEWNES LTD.** (hereinafter called "Newnes"), whose full post office address is P.O. Box 8, 3550 - 45th Street S.E., Salmon Arm, British Columbia, Canada V1E 4N2, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions or improvements, and in and to the said Patents, and in, to and under any and all further Letters Patent which have or may be granted on or as a result thereof in any and all countries;

**NOW THEREFORE** in consideration of the sum of ONE (\$1.00) DOLLAR and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor, does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to Newnes the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions or improvements and said Patents, and any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, continuing prosecution applications, divisions, or substitutes therefore as may exist relating to the Patents or as may come into existence for said Patents, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which have or may be granted on or as a result thereof, and any reissue or reissues of said Letters Patent; and the Assignor assigns to and authorizes Newnes to file and to prosecute in its name any such Patents or applications for Letters Patent for said inventions or improvements in Canada, the United States of America, Australia, Finland, Sweden, New Zealand, Japan, Chile and all other countries, the same to be held and enjoyed by Newnes, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, to the full end of the available term or terms for which the aforesaid may be granted, reissued or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor, had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made;

**AND** the Assignor hereby covenants that it has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that the Assignor has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and the Assignor further covenants and agrees that it will, each time request is made and without undue delay, execute and deliver all such papers as may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said inventions or improvements, said Patents and Letters Patent, in Newnes, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, and the Assignor agrees to communicate to Newnes, or its nominees, all known facts respecting said inventions or improvements, said Patents and said Letters Patent, to testify in any legal proceedings, to sign all lawful papers, to execute all disclaimers and divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign Patents, to make all rightful oaths, and generally to do everything possible to aid Newnes, its successors, assigns, nominees and legal representatives to obtain and enforce for its or their own benefit, proper patent protection for said inventions or improvements in any and all countries, all at the expense, however, of Newnes or its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives;

**AND** the Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States Canada, Australia, Finland, Sweden, New Zealand, Japan, Chile, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the countries aforesaid whose duty it is to issue patents on

Patents as aforesaid, to issue to Newnes, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest, any and all Letters Patent for said inventions, or improvements, which may be issued and granted on or as a result of the Patents aforesaid, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment.

EXECUTED at Vancouver, British Columbia this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1999.

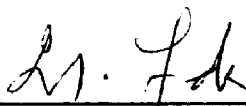
# MACMILLAN BLOEDEL LIMITED

By: 

Title; Corporate Secretary

## NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE

On this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 1999, before me, personally appeared Geoffrey Myrre, known to me to be the individual who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will and for the purpose therein set forth.

  
Notary Public  
My Commission is for life.

## STATEMENT OF ACCEPTANCE

The foregoing Assignment is hereby accepted:

# CAE NEWNES LTD.

By: 

William Ray Newnes

Title: President

Date: April 16, 1999