

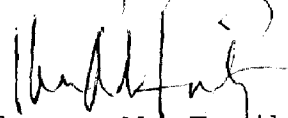
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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information contained herein is true and correct, and any copy submitted is a true copy of the original document.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Thomas M. Freiburger', written over the typed name.

Thomas M. Freiburger

Reg. No. 27,063

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Enclosure

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, John Scanlan, a citizen of Ireland residing at 50 Summerville Avenue, Waterford, Ireland, Justin Lawler, a citizen of Ireland residing at Maoillrea, Dungriffen, Howth, County Dublin, Ireland, and Stephen Daniels, a citizen of Ireland residing at 24 Killeen Crescent, Malahide, County Dublin, Ireland have invented certain new and useful improvements in A METHOD FOR FAULT IDENTIFICATION IN A PLASMA PROCESS, for which application for Letters Patent has been filed of even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, Scientific Systems Research Limited, an Irish company doing business at Unit 3, Howth Junction Business Park, Kilbarrack, Dublin 5, Ireland, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said improvements and the said application.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign, and set over unto Scientific Systems Research Limited, its successors, legal representatives and assigns its entire right, title and interest in the said improvements and the said application and all patent applications which may be filed and granted for the said improvements and the said application in any countries foreign to the United States, and to all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof.

AND I hereby further covenant and agree that I will communicate to Scientific Systems Research Limited, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting the said improvements and the said application, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid Scientific Systems Research Limited, its successors, legal representatives and assigns to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the said improvements and the said application in

all countries.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE, John Scanlan, Justin Lawler and Stephen Daniels have executed and delivered this assignment on the date set forth below.

Date: Aug 11<sup>th</sup> 2000

JO Scanlan  
John Scanlan

Date: 24th August 2000

Justin Lawler  
Justin Lawler

Date: 26<sup>th</sup> August 2000

Stephen Daniels  
Stephen Daniels