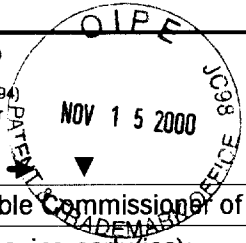


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Name: X-Ray Optical Systems, Inc.

Address: 30 Corporate Circle

City: Albany State/Prov.: New York

Country: U.S.A. ZIP: 12203

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, **Jeffrey P. Nicolich** and **David M. Gibson**, residing at 7 Woodlake Road, Apt. 5, Albany, NY 12203 and 4 Cedar Court, Voorheesville, New York 12186, respectively, citizens of the United States of America, have invented certain new and useful improvements in X-RAY ANALYTICAL TECHNIQUES APPLIED TO COMBINATORIAL LIBRARY SCREENING, for which we have filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on June 29, 2000, Serial No. 09/607,113, and

WHEREAS, **X-Ray Optical Systems, Inc.**, having offices at 30 Corporate Circle, Albany, New York 12203, 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 the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we the said **Jeffrey P. Nicolich** and **David M. Gibson**, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said **X-Ray Optical Systems, Inc.**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application, and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, 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 for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of 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 Patent for said improvements to the said **X-Ray Optical Systems, Inc.**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said **X-Ray Optical Systems, Inc.**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal

proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said **X-Ray Optical Systems, Inc.**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 25th day of July 2000.



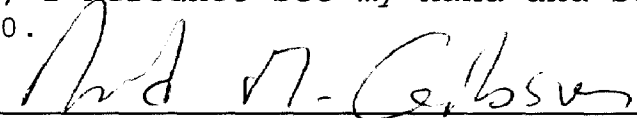
Jeffrey P. Nicolich

STATE OF NEW YORK)
) ss.:
COUNTY OF)

On this _____ day of _____ 2000, before me personally came Jeffrey P. Nicolich, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Notary Public

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 25th day of July 2000.



David M. Gibson

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On this _____ day of _____ 2000, before me personally came David M. Gibson, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

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