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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, Gordon D. Ford, a citizen of the United States, having a residence listed below (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR"), have invented a new and useful invention entitled **Method and Apparatus for Correcting Heavily Damaged Images**, which is identified as Docket No. ASF99009-PA, for which I have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States, on December 29, 1999 (the "Invention"); and

WHEREAS, **Applied Science Fiction**, **Inc.**, having a business address at 8920 Business Park Drive, Austin, Texas 78759, United States of America, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest to said Invention and to said application and any Letters Patent that may issues thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said ASSIGNOR, hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets over, unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said Invention, and said United States application and all divisions, renewals, and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues, reexaminations and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said Invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from said United States application under the Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models and designs which may be granted for said Invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals, reexaminations and reissues thereof;

ASSIGNOR HEREBY authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

ASSIGNOR HEREBY covenant and agree that they have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that they have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith, and that ASSIGNEE, it successors, assigns and other legal representatives shall have the right to hold and enjoy for its own use and benefit, to the end of term or terms for which such Letters Patent shall or may be granted, reissued, or extended as fully and completely as the same might and could have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had this Agreement not been made.

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Gordon D. Ford 6019 Spindletop Terrace Round Rock, Texas 78681

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Gordon D. Ford, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and considerations therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office this  $\frac{1}{2}$  day of

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