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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:	Please record the attached original documents or copies thereof.
Name of conveying party(ies):	Name and address of receiving party(ies):
Stephen James Brown Jeffrey Wayne Pattee Robert William Odell	GE Medical Systems Global Technology Company, LLC 3000 North Grandview Boulevard Waukesha WI 53188
Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? [] Yes [X] No	Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?~-[-] Yes [X] No
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9. Statement and signature. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing inform of the original document. Signature:	ation is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy Registration No.: 42,291 Date: February 13, 2001
Name of Person Signing: <u>Joseph M. Barich</u>	_
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ASSIGNMENT (joint inventors)

We are the joint inventors whose names and residences are listed below:

- 1. **Stephen James Brown,** a resident of the City of West Valley City, Utah, and Country of USA.
- 2. **Jeffrey Wayne Pattee,** a resident of the City of Salt Lake City, Utah, and Country of USA.
- 3. **Robert William Odell**, a resident of the City of North Salt Lake, Utah, and Country of USA.

We have jointly made an invention comprising certain new, useful, and nonobvious improvements in

Imaging Table Leveling System

Said invention is described or intended to be described and set forth in the patent application presently identified as Docket No. 33-XZ-5746.

- * which we executed on or about the same date(s) as we signed this assignment for the purpose of seeking Letters Patent of the United States for our invention.
- X which was filed on October 17, 2000 as United States Application Number ~.

GE Medical Systems Global Technology Company,

- * a natural person
- X a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware (hereinafter: "said assignee"),
- * a partnership consisting of the following partners: ~

having a place of business at GE Medical Systems Global Technology Company, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company with principal offices at 3000 North Grandview Boulevard, Waukesha, WI 53188, (hereinafter: "said assignee") desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent which may be

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granted for said invention, said application, and any and all divisions, continuations, continuationsin-part, reissues, reexamination certificates, and extensions thereof.

We warrant and represent that we conceived said invention ourselves, that no one other than us is a joint inventor of said invention, and that neither we nor any of us have assigned or agreed to assign any rights in said invention or said application to anyone other than said assignee or a predecessor in interest to said assignee.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of one dollar and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we hereby assign to said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire worldwide right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent which may be granted for said invention, said application, and any and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexamination certificates, substitutes, and extensions of said application (each of which is included herein as a part of "said application"), including but not limited to all our United States and other national rights to said invention and said application and all our rights under the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and all other applicable treaties or laws in respect to said invention and said application.

We hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent which may be granted for said invention or upon said application unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with this assignment.

We hereby authorize said assignee to apply for patents on said invention in foreign countries, claiming the filing date of said application under the provisions of the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and all other applicable treaties and laws, and we further agree to execute any and all documents that may be required or desired by said assignee in order that said assignee may apply for Letters Patent on said invention in foreign countries in our or its name.

We hereby agree to promptly communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention or said application; to testify in any legal proceeding relating thereto; to sign all lawful papers, including but not limited to all divisional, continuing, continuing-in-part, reissue, substitute, and extension applications, all rightful oaths or declarations, and documents confirming or substituting for this assignment.

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Signed at Salt Lake City, in the County of Salt Lake and State of May, this 7th day of Nov., 2000. Stephen James Brown	
STATE OF <u>Utah</u>) SS. COUNTY OF <u>Salt wa</u>)	
I, Anna M. West, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Stephen James Frown personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.	
Given under my hand and notarial seal this day of, 2000.	
ANNA M. WEST NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF UTAH MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 08-22-2004 3127 WEST 9765 S. SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095	

Signed at Salt Lake City, in the County of Salt Lake and State of day of, this, and State of, Jepirey Wayner attee	
STATE OF <u>Utah</u>) SS. COUNTY OF <u>Salt Lake</u>)	
I, Anna M. West , a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Jeffrey Wayne Pattee personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.	
Given under my hand and notarial seal this 7th day of Nov., 2000. ANNA M. WEST NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF UTAH MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 08-22-2004 3127 WEST 9765 S. SOUTH JORDAN, UT 84095 Notary Public	
(SEAL) My commission expires $8.22-04$	

Signed at Salt Lake City, in the County of Salt Lake and State of What, this 7th day of November, 2000. Robert William Odell	
STATE OF <u>Utah</u>) SS. COUNTY OF <u>Salt Lake</u>)	
I, Anna M. West , a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Robert William Mel! personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.	
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