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I also hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said Z Tek Inc., the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to applications for Letters Patent therefor in all countries foreign to the United States of America, including all rights under any and all international conventions and treaties in respect of said inventions and said applications for Letters Patent in foreign countries, and I further authorize the said Z-Tek Inc., to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries directly in its own name, and to claim the priority of the filing date of the said


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I hereby authorize and request the Assistant Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America to issue Letters Patent upon the aforesaid application, division, extension, continuation or reissue, to Z Tek Inc. , for the sole use and benefit of said ZTek Inc., its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, the same as they would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment not been made, and I hereby authorize and request the equivalent authorities in foreign countries to issue the patents of their respective countries to said Z Tek Inc.

I agree that, when requested, I will, without charge to said Z Tek Inc., but at its expense, sign all papers take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for said inventions in all countries and for vesting title thereto in said Z Tek Inc., its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

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Bryan Clark, President, Z Tek Inc.