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We, NICHOLAS G. DAGALAKIS, residing in Potomac, Maryland, and EDWARD G. AMATUCCI, residing in Mount Airy, Maryland, have co-invented "Six-Degree of Freedom Micro-Positioner," and have filed an application for United States Letters Patent, Serial Number 09/597,242 on June 20, 2000.

The invention was made while we were employees of the United States Department of Commerce and under such circumstances that applicable laws and regulations render the patent rights assignable to the United States. The United States of America, represented by the Secretary of Commerce, wishes to acquire these rights.

Therefore, we assign to the United States of America, as represented by the Secretary of Commerce, our full and exclusive world-wide rights to this invention. This invention and its derivative applications and Letters Patent are to be held by the United States of America for the full term for which such Letters Patent may be granted as completely as they would have been held by us had we not made this assignment.

We agree to make, execute, and deliver to the Secretary of Commerce all documents in such usual or other forms, terms, or contents as may be required by the Secretary for the prosecution

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we sign.



 NICHOLAS G. DAGALAKIS

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 EDWARD G. AMATUCCI

Jan. 19, 01
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