

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, **Charles W. Hull**, 15605 Live Oak Springs Canyon Road, Santa Clarita, CA 91387, U.S.A., a citizen of the United States of America; and **Kenneth J. Newell**, 25876 The Old Road #33, Valencia, California 91381, U.S.A., a citizen of the United States of America (each hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNORS"), have invented a certain invention entitled "**RECOATING SYSTEM FOR USING HIGH VISCOSITY BUILD MATERIALS IN SOLID FREEFORM FABRICATION**," for which application for Letters Patent of the United States of America was filed on January 17, 2002, under Serial Number *To be Assigned*; and

WHEREAS, **3D SYSTEMS, INC.**, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California and having its principal place of business at 26081 Avenue Hall, Valencia, CA 91355 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States of America, its territorial possessions and in any and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title, and interest to said invention and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection, not only in the United States and its territorial possessions, but in all countries foreign thereto to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute, or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, including all priority rights under the International Convention; and ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent or any legal

equivalent thereof to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, and assigns, in accordance with this Assignment.

ASSIGNORS hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement, or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this Assignment;

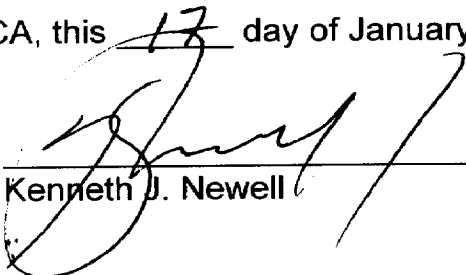
ASSIGNORS further covenant that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNORS and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments, or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention, and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

WITNESS my hand at Valencia, CA, this 17th day of January 2002.



Charles W. Hull

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Kenneth J. Newell