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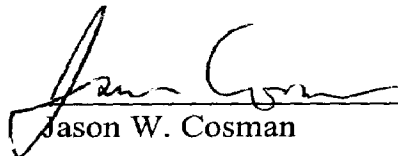
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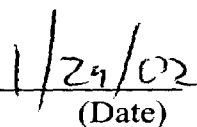
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AND, I agree to execute all papers and give such testimony and perform such other lawful acts as said VARIAN, INC., may require to enable it, or them, to procure Letters Patent of the United States and countries foreign thereto, and to acquire, hold, enforce, convey, and uphold the validity of said Letters Patent and reissues and extensions thereof, and its title thereto.

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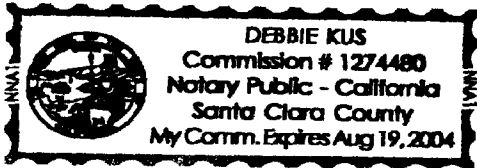

Jason W. Cosman


1/29/02
(Date)

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On 1/29/02 before me, Debbie Kus, Notary Public, personally
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 personally known to me -or- proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence
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