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GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST

PATENTS

THIS GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST, dated as of December 6, 2002, is executed by ZAMBEEL, INC., a Delaware corporation ("*Debtor*"), in favor of GATX VENTURES, INC. ("*GATX*") and COMDISCO VENTURES, INC., as successor in interest to Comdisco, Inc. ("*Comdisco*"). (GATX and Comdisco are sometimes collectively referred to herein as the "*Secured Parties*.")

- A. Pursuant to a Venture Loan and Security Agreement dated as of October 12, 2000 (as amended from time to time in writing, the "Senior Loan Agreement") among Debtor and the Secured Parties, the Secured Parties agreed to extend certain credit facilities to Debtor upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein.
- B. Pursuant to a Venture Loan and Security Agreement dated as of January 31, 2001 (as amended from time to time in writing, the "Junior Loan Agreement") among Debtor and GATX, GATX agreed to extend certain credit facilities to Debtor upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein.
- C. Pursuant to a Master Lease Agreement dated as of June 19, 2000 (as amended from time to time in writing, the "Lease Agreement") between Debtor and Comdisco, Comdisco leased to Debtor certain equipment upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein.
- D. Debtor owns the letters patent and/or applications for letters patent, of the United States, more particularly described on <u>Schedule 1-A</u> annexed hereto as part hereof (collectively, the "*Patents*").
- E. Pursuant to the Senior Loan Agreement, Debtor has granted to Secured Parties a security interest in all right, title and interest of Debtor in and to in and to the Patents, together with any reissue, continuation, continuation-in-part or extension thereof, and all proceeds thereof, including any and all causes of action which may exist by reason of infringement thereof for the full term of the Patents (collectively, the "Collateral"), to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Obligations (as defined in the Senior Loan Agreement). Pursuant to the Junior Loan Agreement, Debtor has granted to GATX a security interest in all right, title and interest of Debtor in and to the Collateral to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Obligations (as defined in the Junior Loan Agreement). Pursuant to the Lease Agreement, Debtor has granted to Comdisco a security interest in all right, title and interest of Debtor in and to the Collateral to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Secured Obligations (as defined in the Lease Agreement).

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Debtor does hereby further grant to Secured Parties a security interest in the Collateral to secure the prompt payment, performance and observance of the Obligations and the Secured Obligations as described in the Recitals hereto.

Debtor does hereby further acknowledge and affirm that the rights and remedies of Secured Parties with respect to the security interest in the Collateral granted hereby are more fully set forth in the Senior Loan Agreement, the Junior Loan Agreement and the Lease Agreement, as applicable, the terms and provisions of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein.

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PATENT REEL: 013969 FRAME: 0677 Secured Parties' addresses are: GATX Ventures, Inc.

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Lafayette, California 94549 Attention: Legal Department

and:

Comdisco, Inc./Comdisco Ventures, Inc.

6111 N. River Road Rosemont, IL 60018

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF. Debtor has caused this instrument to be executed as of the day and year first written above.

ZAMBEEL, INC.

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