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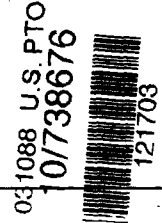
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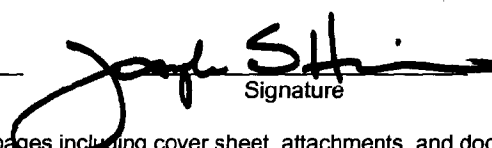
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In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which we acknowledge receipt, Joe J. Lacey of Cambridge, Wisconsin, hereby selsl and assigns to GE Medical Systems Global Technology Company, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, (hereinafter referred to as the "Company") its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in SELF REGULATING DETECTOR RAIL HEATER FOR COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY IMAGING SYSTEMS, invented by me, as described in the application identified above, and any and all applications for patent and patents therefor in any and all countries, including all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said improvements or resulting therefrom to said Company, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said Company, we will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to me respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

Dec. 16, 2003

Joe J. Lacey
Joe J. Lacey

State of Wisconsin)
) ss.
County of Waukesha)

This 16 day of December, 2003, before me personally came the above-named Joe J. Lacey to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Art Goldberg
Notary Public, State of Wisconsin
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