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## ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PATENT

WHEREAS, Jobin Yvon Inc., a Delaware corporation, having an address at 3880 Park Avenue, Edison, New Jersey 08820 ("Assignor"), is the owner of the United States patent set forth on the annexed Schedule and related inventions thereof (the "Letters Patent");

WHEREAS, Metuchen Scientific, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having an address at 203 Norcross Avenue, Metuchen, New Jersey 08840 ("Assignee"), desires to acquire the entire undivided right, title and interest in and to the Letters Patent;

WHEREAS, the Letters Patent upon issuance listed Spex Industries, Inc., a New Jersey corporation ("Spex Industries") as the owner of record;

WHEREAS, pursuant to a Certificate of Merger filed with the Delaware Secretary of State's Office on December 31, 1991, Spex Industries and Instruments, S.A., Inc. were merged with and into Spex Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Spex Group"), pursuant to which Spex Group changed its corporate name to Instruments S.A., Inc.;

WHEREAS, pursuant to a Certificate of Amendment of Certificate of Incorporation filed with the Delaware Secretary of State's Office on November 10, 1999, Instruments S.A., Inc. changed its corporate name to Jobin Yvon Inc.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby assign, transfer and set over to Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire undivided right, title and interest in and to the Letters Patent, including the right to recover damages for past infringements in and to the Letters Patent, for the territory of the United States and its possessions and territories and all foreign countries; said undivided right to the Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for Assignee's own use and behoof, and for Assignee's legal representatives and assigns to the full end of the term or terms for which the Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the undersigned Assignor had this assignment not been made; and for the aforesaid consideration Assignor hereby covenants, agrees and undertakes to execute, whenever requested by the abovenamed Assignee, all patent applications, assignments, lawful oaths and any other papers which Assignee may deem necessary or desirable for securing to Assignee or for maintaining for Assignee the Letters Patent hereby assigned or agreed to be assigned; all without further compensation to the undersigned Assignor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused these presents to be executed by an officer of Assignor, thereunto duly authorized, as of the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2004.

JOBIN YVON INC.

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