

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Siemens Aktiengesellschaft, a corporation of Germany having a place of business at Wittelsbacherplatz 2, 80333 München, Germany (hereinafter "Assignor owns full and exclusive right, title and interest to the intellectual property rights set forth on the attached **Schedule A** (the "Intellectual Property");

WHEREAS, Landis+Gyr AG, a corporation of Switzerland having a place of business at Feldstrasse 1, 6300 Zug, Switzerland (hereinafter "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the full and exclusive right, title and interest in the Intellectual Property:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, Assignor hereby assigns and transfers to Assignee nunc pro tunc, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and to the Intellectual Property for the United States and all foreign countries, including but not limited to, (a) any and all inventions which are disclosed in the attached **Schedule A**, and in and to all applications therefor and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or may be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said inventions; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or may be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on said inventions and (b) the trademarks disclosed in the attached **Schedule A** and the registrations therefor for the United States and throughout the world along with the right to recover for past, present and future infringements thereof, including without limitation, damages and profits.

Assignor agrees to execute and deliver at the request of Assignee, all papers, instruments, and assignments, and to perform any other reasonable acts the Assignee may require in order to vest in the Assignee all Assignor's right, title, and interest in and to the Intellectual Property free and clear of all liens and/or to provide evidence to support any of the foregoing in the event such evidence is deemed necessary by Assignee, to the extent such evidence is in the possession or control of Assignor.

THIS ENTIRE ASSIGNMENT inures to the benefit of Assignee successors and assigns, and is binding upon Assignor, and successors, legal representatives or assigns.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand as of the date indicated below.

Dated: February 16, 2004

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SCHEDULE A

1. U.S. Patent No.: 6,008,635
Ser. No.: 09/034,930
Title: Electricity meter
Issued: December 28, 1999

2. U.S. Patent No.: 6,239,589
Ser. No.: 09/275,825
Title: Method and device for compensating for angle errors when
measuring electrical power
Issued: May 29, 2001

3. U.S. Patent No.: 6,275,021
Ser. No.: 09/407,265
Title: Electricity meter
Issued: August 14, 2001

3. U.S. Patent No.: 6,313,756
Ser. no.: 09/179,649
Title: Method for controlling an electric meter, and electric meter
Issued: November 6, 2001



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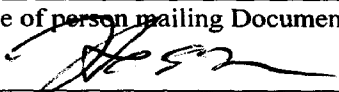
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Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Recordation Form Cover Sheet
2. Executed Intellectual Property Assignment
3. Assignment Schedule A
4. Check in the amount of \$160.00
5. One return post card

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It is respectfully requested that the post card be stamped with the date it is received and returned as soon as possible. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0014, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

Very truly yours,



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