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**Apparatus for Analyzing Biologic Fluids**

which is identified as Attorney Docket No. 7564-0004, and which is described in United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/255,673 filed on 2/23/1999, executed by the undersigned, being an owner of an undivided right, title, and interest in and to said application and in and to any invention described therein, and having full right to convey the undivided interest both legal and equitable herein assigned; and

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STEPHEN C. WARDLAW

(Printed Name)



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