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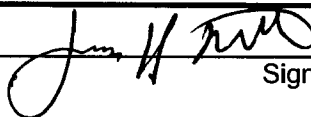
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# PATENT APPLICATION AND INVENTION ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the undersigned, Michael D. Holbrook (Assignor), a citizen of the United States of America residing at 55 Walnut Street, Kingston, Ohio 45644:

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to Mastergear, Ltd., (Assignee), a corporation of the State of Ohio having a place of business at 55 Walnut Street, Kingston, Ohio 45644, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and for all countries of the world, in and to any and all inventions which are disclosed in

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Agree that said Assignee may apply for, receive and maintain Letters Patent for said inventions in its own name; and that, when requested, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other patent applications on any and all said inventions for the U.S., all other countries of the world and under all treaties; execute all rightful oaths, supplemental oaths, , preliminary statements, assignments, powers of attorney, assurance of title and other papers for the U.S., all other countries and under all treaties, communicate to said Assignee, its successors, assigns and representatives, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said inventions and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which said Assignee, its successors, assigns or representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection for said inventions, for complying with applicable law and for vesting title to said inventions and all applications for patents and all patents on said inventions, in said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives for the U.S., all other countries and under treaties;

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Michael D. Holbrook (LS)  
Michael D. Holbrook

State of Ohio :  
County of Fairfield :ss

Before me this 21 day of October, 2004, personally appeared Michael D. Holbrook, known to be the person who is described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein set forth.

Michael S. Beam  
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MICHAEL S. BEAM  
Notary Public - State of Ohio  
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