

## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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WHEREAS, Ex-L Tube, Inc., a corporation of the State of Missouri, and having its principal offices at 905 Atlantic Street, North Kansas City, MO 64116 (hereinafter "said Assignor") owns patent application Serial No. 10/346,239, filed January 17, 2003, and

WHEREAS, Steel Ventures, L.L.C., a Limited Liability Company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Kansas, and having its principal offices at 555 Poyntz Avenue, Manhattan, KS 66502 (hereinafter "said Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent application;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration to said Assignor in hand paid by said Assignee, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent application.

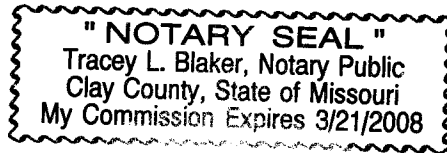
Upon Said Consideration, said Assignor does hereby covenant and agree with said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that it will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that it or its successors and assigns will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors and assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as said Assignee, its successors and assigns, may deem necessary or desirable to perfect said Assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights, occurring as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents.

In Witness Whereof, said Assignor has, through its duly authorized agent executed this document on this 5 day of July, 2005.

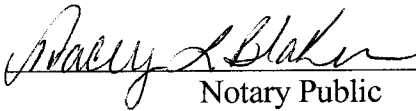
Ex-L Tube, Inc.

By: Howard C. Hopkins  
Printed Name: Howard C. Hopkins  
Title: President

STATE OF MISSOURI     )  
                                  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF Clay     )



On this 5th day of July, 2005, before me personally appeared HOWARD HOPKINS, known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument as President of Ex-L Tube, Inc., and acknowledged that he executed the same as a free act and deed.

  
Notary Public