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Nu-kote Imaging International, Inc.

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Name: Nu-kote Imperial, Ltd.
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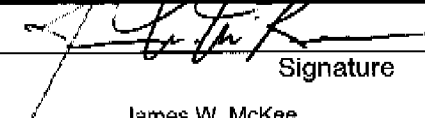
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IN RE PATENTS OF : Nu-kote Imaging International, Inc. 10-1901

SERIAL NO. : 08/180,179

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PATENT NOS. : 4,940,345 (+ 9 others)

ISSUED : July 10, 1990 (+ 9 others)

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Nu-kote Imaging International, Inc.

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Internal Address: _____

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<u>08/180,179</u>	<u>4,940,345; 5,005,999;</u>
	<u>5,044,795; 5,071,272;</u>
	<u>5,083,877; 5,131,769;</u>
	<u>5,136,778; 5,224,785;</u>
	<u>5,254,193; 5,949,461.</u>

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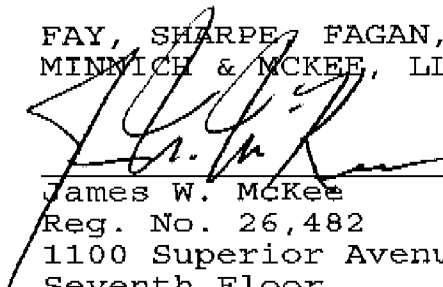
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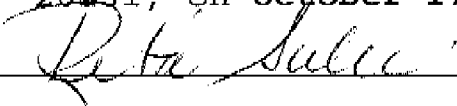
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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

This Patent Assignment is entered into and made effective as of the 31st day of December, 2000 between Nu-kote Imaging International, Inc., a company incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a place of business at 200 Beasley Drive, Franklin, Tennessee 37064 ("Nu-kote"), and Nu-kote Imperial, Ltd., a company incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a place of business at 200 Beasley Drive, Franklin, Tennessee 37064 ("Imperial").

WHEREAS, Nu-kote is the owner of the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to the domestic and foreign patents and patent applications listed in the attached Schedule A (hereinafter "Patents") and the inventions underlying the Patents; and,

WHEREAS, Nu-kote and Imperial are each debtors in the jointly administered and substantively consolidated bankruptcy case of Nu-kote International, Inc., et al., Case No. 398-10600, currently pending in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Tennessee, Nashville Division (the "Bankruptcy Case"); and,

WHEREAS, the Third Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization for Nu-kote, as modified, confirmed in the Bankruptcy Case requires that the Patents shall be transferred from Nu-kote to Imperial.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration transferred by Imperial to Nu-kote, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and pursuant to the express terms of the Confirmed Plan, Nu-kote agrees to sell, assign, transfer and set over and does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to Imperial, all right, title and interest in and to the Patents, including without limitation all reissues, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, extensions and re-examinations of the Patents that are or may be secured under the laws of the United States, Canada or foreign countries now or hereafter in effect and including the subject matter of claims which may be obtained therefrom and the inventions underlying the Patents, together with claims for damages by reason of past, present or future infringement or other unauthorized use of the Patents and the inventions underlying the Patents, with the right to sue for and collect the same.

Nu-kote authorizes and requests the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and any foreign patent records office to record Imperial as assignee of all title and interest in and to the Patents for the use and enjoyment of Imperial.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Agreement to be signed and executed by the undersigned officer of Nu-kote thereunto duly authorized this 31st day of December, 2000.

NU-KOTE IMAGING INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By Patrick E. Howard
Patrick E. Howard, President

Witnessed by:

(1) Frank J. W...
(2) [Signature]

Schedule A
(Nu-Kote Imaging International, Inc.)

United States				
Title	App. No.	Filing Date	Patent No.	Issue Date
Ink Cassette and Ink Transfer Roll Therefor	07/263,878	10-28-1988	4,940,345	07-10-1990
Ink Cassette With Control Means for Alternately Driving One of Two Spool Bearing Therein	07/323,828	03-15-1989	5,005,999	04-19-1991
Wrap Brake Spring for the Take-Off Core of an Inked Ribbon Cartridge	07/400,358	08-30-1989	5,044,795	09-03-1991
Ribbon Cassette and Protector	07/565,996	08-10-1999	5,071,272	12-10-1991
Tape Feed Control Apparatus for a Correction Tape Cassette	07/510,478	04-18-1990	5,083,877	01-28-1992
Ribbon Cartridge	07/772,906	06-28-1991	5,131,769	07-21-1992
Apparatus and Method for Stuffing a Snailed Endless Ribbon into a Ribbon Cartridge	07/666,386	03-18-1991	5,136,778	08-11-1992
Ribbon Cassette	07/872,436	04-23-1992	5,224,785	07-06-1993
Ribbon Assembly Fixture with Integral Instructions and Method	07/690,683	04-24-1991	5,254,193	10-19-1993
Ink Refill Bottle	08/198,944	02-18-1994	5,949,461	09-07-1999
RIS System	08/180,179	01-11-1994		251

Europe				
Title	App. No.	Filing Date	Patent No.	Issue Date
Ink Cassette and Ink Transfer Roll Therefor	88202419	10-21-1988	EP0314254	03-11-1992

Germany				
Title	App. No.	Filing Date	Patent No.	Issue Date
Ink Cassette and Ink Transfer Roll Therefor	EP0314254	10-21-1988	38690576	04-16-1992

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