

**PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

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## ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

On the date shown below, and for good and valuable consideration, including but not limited to that described in the Settlement Agreement between the parties, the receipt of which I acknowledge, I, **Riccardo W. Hayes**, whose address is 7333 Dartmouth, St. Louis, Missouri 63130 made the following assignment and promises to **Jesse Jonah White (“White”)**, whose address is Route 1, Box 4D, Michael, Illinois 62065:

1. I assign, transfer, and convey to White each and all of the following:
  - (a) the entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Pat. 6,901,686 and in the patent applications and/or patents listed on the attached Exhibit 1;
  - (b) the inventions described by the claims in such patent and patent applications in attached Exhibit 1;
  - (c) all applications for Letters Patent, or similar legal protection, which may be filed in any country or countries foreign to the United States based on U.S. Pat. 6,901,686;
  - (d) all Letters Patent which may be granted from the applications listed in Exhibit 1 in any country or countries foreign to the United States; and
  - (e) all extensions, renewals, reissues, reexaminations, divisions, and continuations (or their legal equivalents) of any applications or Letters Patent referred to above.
  
2. I authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents or similar legal protection on applications listed in Exhibit 1, to issue to White all Letters Patent or similar legal protection.
  
3. I agree that, upon the reasonable request of White, I will
  - (a) execute any and all divisional, continuation and renewal applications for the Patents which issue from the applications listed in Exhibit 1;
  - (b) execute any supplemental oaths relating to Patents issuing from the applications listed in Exhibit 1 or patent applications listed in Exhibit 1;
  - (c) execute any applications for reissue, reexamination, or extension of any Letters Patent that may be granted upon the applications listed in Exhibit 1 so long as such are accurate;

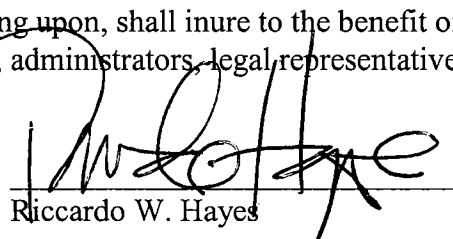
- (d) cooperate to the best of my ability in connection with any Reexamination, Reissue or Interference Proceeding, including but not limited to, cooperation in connection with preparing the preliminary statement and giving and producing evidence in support of such preliminary statement for which White agrees to reasonably complete;
- (e) perform any and all affirmative acts to obtain Letters Patent from the applications in Exhibit 1 and vest all right in such Letters Patent in White; and
- (f) perform such additional lawful acts as White may deem necessary or expedient in connection with any of the matters stated above.

4. White agrees that it is responsible for all outstanding and future costs regarding all patents and applications therefore.

5. I covenant and warrant that as of the date of this Assignment Agreement, I am the true and lawful owner of the entire right, title, and interest in U.S. Pat. 6,901,686 and applications based on it for Letters Patent, the inventions claimed on said applications, and any Letters Patent which may issue from said applications, and have the full right and power to convey the same; that the same are free and clear of all liens, charges and encumbrances whatsoever; and that I have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment Agreement.

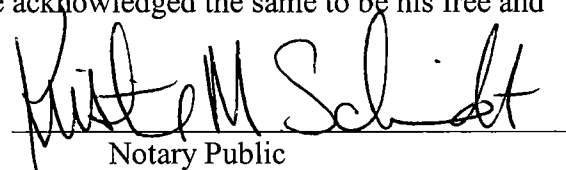
6. This Assignment Agreement is binding upon, shall inure to the benefit of, and shall be performed by the parties named, their heirs, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns.

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Date

  
Riccardo W. Hayes

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  ) ss.  
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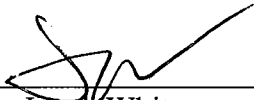
On this 1 day of ~~February~~ <sup>March</sup>, 2006, before me, a Notary Public in and for the above State and County, personally appeared Riccardo W. Hayes, known to me to be the person of that name who signed and sealed the above instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free and voluntary act and deed.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 6/13/09

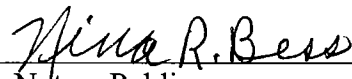


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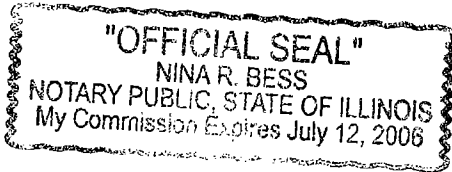
  
Jesse Jonah White

STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
  ) ss.  
Calhoun COUNTY        )

On this ~~8th~~ <sup>March</sup> day of ~~February~~, 2006, before me, a Notary Public in and for the above State and County, personally appeared Jesse Jonah White, known to me to be the person of that name who signed and sealed the above instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free and voluntary act and deed.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: July 12, 2006



## EXHIBIT 1

	<u>Country Filed</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>	<u>Serial Number</u>	<u>Status</u>
1	USA - Provisional	12/7/2001	60/336,679	Lapsed - priority for US and PCT cases
2	USA	12/9/2002	10/314,368	Patented June 7, 2005 - U.S. Pat. No. 6,901,686 Pending - Divisional of 10/314,368
3	USA - Divisional	2/23/2005	11/063,834	Pending - Continuation of 10/314,368
4	USA - Continuation	2/23/2005	11/063,833	In preparation - Continuation in Part (CIP) of 10/314,368
5	USA - CIP			
6	PCT Worldwide	12/9/2002	PCT/US02/39047	Lapsed - set the stage for foreign cases
7	Canada	5/26/2004	2468535	Pending
8	Australia	12/9/2002	2002362078	Pending
9	New Zealand	6/1/2004	29860/37 HG	Received initial rejection, needs response by 5/7/2006
10	South Africa	9/10/2004	2004/7292	Pending
11	Japan	6/7/2004	2003-550,620	Pending
12	China	12/9/2002	02824396.X	Pending
13	Taiwan			Awaiting client instructions
14	Hong Kong	3/2/2005	5101428.5	Pending
15	South Korea			Awaiting client instructions
16	Brazil	6/4/2004	PI0214728-9	Pending
17	EU - Austria	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
18	EU - Belgium	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
19	EU - Bulgaria	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
20	EU - Switzerland	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
21	EU - Cyprus (S)	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
	EU - Czech			
22	Republic	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
23	EU - Germany	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
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34	EU - Monaco	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
35	EU - Netherlands	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
36	EU - Portugal	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
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39	Republic	7/5/2004	02797208.2	Pending
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41	EA - Russia	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending
42	EA - Belarus	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending

43	EA - Kyrgyzstan	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending
44	EA - Kazakhstan	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending
45	EA - Turkmenistan	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending
46	EA - Tajikistan	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending
47	EA - Moldova	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending
48	EA - Armenia	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending
49	EA - Azerbaijan	7/1/2004	200400760/26	Pending