## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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## **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Execution Date
SENSORTEC LIMITED	10/27/2006

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## PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number
Application Number:	10539424

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**BETWEEN:** 

SENSORTEC LIMITED

AND:

DEC INTERNATIONAL NZ LIMITED

## **DESCRIPTION:**

By this Deed SENSORTEC LIMITED assigns to DEC INTERNATIONAL NZ LIMITED all its right, title and interest in and to the *Intellectual Property Rights* relating to the *Invention*.

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**BETWEEN** SENSORTEC LIMITED, a New Zealand company having its

registered office at 558 Te Rapa Road, Hamilton, New Zealand.

("Assignor")

AND DEC INTERNATIONAL NZ LIMITED, a New Zealand company

having its registered office at 558 Te Rapa Road, Hamilton, New

Zealand.

("Assignee")

#### ON THE BASIS THAT-

#### 1.0 DEFINED TERMS

- **1.1.** Copyright shall mean the property rights which exist in any Copyright Work.
- 1.2. Copyright Works shall mean:
  - 1.2-1. a work of any of the types described in Section 14 of the New Zealand Copyright Act 1994; and/or
  - 1.2-2. a work in which copyright exists; and

which relates to the Invention.

- 1.3. Design Rights shall mean the right to apply for a registered design relating to the Invention or equivalent protection in any country of the world and to claim priority under international convention from any such applications and the rights conferred by such registered designs or equivalent protection when granted.
- **1.4.** Intellectual Property Rights shall mean all intellectual property rights whatsoever relating to the Invention including without limitation the Patent, the Patent Rights, the Design Rights, the Copyright and the Technical Information.
- **1.5.** *Invention* shall mean the invention the subject of the *Patent*.

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1.6. Patent shall mean the patent application and/or letters patent set out in the Schedule and any patent application or letters patent claiming priority from same, and any letters patent granted upon any of the foregoing patent applications.

## **1.7.** Patent Rights shall mean:

- 1.7-1. the right to apply for any patent relating to the *Invention* or equivalent protection in any country of the world and to claim priority under any international convention from any such application(s) and the rights conferred by such patents or equivalent protection when granted; and
- **1.7-2.** the rights conferred by the *Patent* including the right to claim priority under any international convention and the right conferred by such *Patent* now and/or when granted.
- 1.8. Technical Information shall mean all inventions, designs, drawings, tests, reports and procedures, models, manuals, formulae, tables of operating conditions and the like relating to the *Invention* and all other knowledge, know-how and show-how relating to the foregoing, whether or not capable of being protected by patent or otherwise.

## 2.0 BACKGROUND

- 2.1. An application relating to the *Patent* was incorrectly filed in the name of the Assignor as opposed to the Assignee.
- **2.2.** The **Assignor** acknowledges that the Assignee is or should be the owner of the *Invention* and *Intellectual Property Rights*.
- 2.3. The **Assignor** has agreed to assign, and the **Assignee** has agreed to take an assignment of, the *Invention* and the *Intellectual Property Rights* on the terms described below.

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#### BY THIS DEED THE PARTIES AGREE -

#### 3.0 THE ASSIGNMENT

- **3.1.** The **Assignor** hereby assigns all its right, title and interest in and to the *Invention* and *Intellectual Property Rights* to the **Assignee**.
- 3.2. The assignment will take effect on the date this Deed is fully executed by the Assignor or on the date the first patent application relating to the invention was filed in the name of one or more of the parties, whichever is the earlier lawful date.

#### 4.0 CONSIDERATION

- 4.1. In consideration for the assignment detailed in clause 3.1, the Assignee will pay to the Assignor upon execution of this Agreement the sum of one New Zealand dollar (NZ\$1.00), the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged by the Assignor.
- **4.2.** Any and all rights of the **Assignor** with respect to the *Invention* and *Intellectual Property Rights* will pass to the **Assignee** upon execution of this Agreement.

#### 5.0 ASSIGNOR'S OBLIGATIONS

5.1. The Assignor undertakes to (at the Assignee's cost) execute any documents and authorisations, and depose to or swear any declarations or oaths as may be requested by the Assignee for vesting absolutely all their right, title and interest to the Intellectual Property Rights in favour of the Assignee, and for conferring on the Assignee the right to take action against any third party who copies the Invention or infringes the Intellectual Property Rights.

## 6.0 GOVERNING LAW

**6.1.** This Deed and any disputes relating to it shall be governed by and construed in all respects in accordance with the laws of New Zealand.

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**6.2.** Each party to this Deed submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of New Zealand.

Signed as a Deed this  $\star$  27  $\star$  day of  $\star$  2006 for and on behalf of SENSORTEC LIMITED by its duly authorised officers\*

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- \* This Deed must be signed by:

  a) Two or more directors of the company; or

  b) A single director of the company and a witness; or

  c) (If the company's constitution allows it), any other person and a witness; or
- c) d) One or more persons with a power of attorney to act on the company's behalf.

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# **SCHEDULE**

Patent (clause 1.6):

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Title	Country	Application	Filing Date
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On-Farm Separation of Milk	United States of	10/539,4244	20 June 2005
Components	America		

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