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In accordance with obligations entered into pursuant to an Employee Innovation and Proprietary Information Agreement or other agreement and/or for other good and valuable consideration, of which we acknowledge receipt, we, **PATRICK JOSEPH HOWARD, 3158 Willis Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45208; and RICHARD EUGENE KLAASSEN, 7156 Pinemill Drive, West Chester, Ohio 45069**, hereby sell and assign to General Electric Company, a New York Corporation, having an address at 1 River Road, Schenectady, New York 12345, USA, (hereinafter referred to as "Company"), its successors and assigns, our entire respective rights, titles and interests in and to the invention and improvements invented and originated by us and described in the application for United States Patent currently entitled **METHODS AND SYSTEM FOR ULTRASOUND INSPECTION**, executed concurrently herewith, and any and all applications for patent and patents therefrom in any and all countries, including all divisions, continuations, reexaminations and reissues thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said inventions and improvements resulting therefrom to said Company, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said Company, we will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to us respecting said inventions and improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, reexamination and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention and its improvements in all countries.

December 9, 2004

  
 PATRICK JOSEPH HOWARD

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STATE OF Ohio )  
County of Hamilton ) ss.

This 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2004, before me personally came the above-named **PATRICK JOSEPH HOWARD**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing Assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

Kimberly M. Howard  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires  
October 2, 2006  
Recorded in Hamilton County

Kimberly M. Howard  
Notary Public

Dec. 9, 2004

*Richard Eugene Klaassen*  
**RICHARD EUGENE KLAASSEN**

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This 9<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2004, before me personally came the above-named **RICHARD EUGENE KLAASSEN**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing Assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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