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THIS ASSIGNMENT, made by Jacek Jarzynski (hereinafter referred to as Assignor), residing at 5906 Wilmet Road, Bethesda, Maryland 20817;

WHEREAS, Assignor, has invented certain new and useful improvements in INTENSITY MODULATED FIBER OPTIC STRAIN SENSOR, set forth in a Patent application for Letters Patent of the United States, already filed on May 1, 2008 as U.S. Application No. 12/113,749; and

WHEREAS, The Government of the United States of America, as represented by the Secretary of the Navy, a Federal Agency (hereinafter referred to as the Government), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said Application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefore and thereon.

WHEREAS, by acquiring the Assignors' entire right, title, and interest in and to the invention the Government will be enabled to license the invention and share the income from the licensing with the Assignors as allowed by law;

WHEREAS, Assignor is obligated as employee of SFA, Inc. (Contractor) to assign inventions to Contractor, and Contractor is obligated to the Government under contract no. N00173-03-C-6016;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and other good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does assign, transfer and set over, unto the Government, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, subject to a nonexclusive and royalty-free license which is hereby reserved to Contractor, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions and application for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all direct and indirect divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application, and any and all Letters Patent in the United States which may be granted therefore and thereon, and reissues, reexaminations and extensions of said Letters Patent, and all rights under the

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AND Assignor hereby appoints all practitioners at Customer Number 26384, all of US Naval Research Laboratory, 4555 Overlook Ave, SW, Washington, DC 20375, jointly, and each of them severally, my attorneys at law/patent agent(s), with full power of substitution, delegation and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business in the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

AND Assignor hereby grants the following individuals the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office any foreign patent office for recordation of this document:

US NAVAL RESEARCH LABORATORY

All practitioners at Customer Number 26384.

Date: 11/9/08

Signature:

Jacek Jarzynski

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signed by Barbara Jarzynski, legal  
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Contractor joins in and agrees to the foregoing assignment, and except for the above reservation of a license, relinquishes and assigns all right, title and interest in and to such invention, and further agrees to furnish to the Government, upon request, any available information and documents necessary for the prosecution of any patent application (including prosecution and settlement of interferences) on the above-identified invention, and any substitution, division, continuation-in-part, or continuation of such patent application and any application for reissue of any patent resulting from such patent application.

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Date

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