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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WILLIAM CULPI, WILLIAM E. BRYANT, and JOHN M. RICKMAN, each residing in California (hereinafter "Assignors") have co-invented certain new and useful SELF-CENTERING ZOOM BAR GRAPH (hereinafter "invention") for which the Assignors are making or have made an application for LETTERS PATENT OF THE UNITED STATES, which application has been duly filed by Assignor on January 20, 2006 and assigned Ser. No. 60/760,443.

WHEREAS, Newport Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Nevada, US, having a place of business at 1791 Deere Avenue, Irvine, California, US., (hereinafter called "the Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention within the United States of America and its territorial possessions and all foreign countries any United States or foreign LETTERS PATENT that may be granted therefor.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have assigned, sold and transferred, and do assign, sell and transfer to the Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention within the United States of America and its territorial possessions and all foreign countries and in and to any application for LETTERS PATENT and LETTERS PATENT of the United States and foreign countries, including utility models, inventor's certificates and like government grants, and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof that may be granted therefor, and the right to apply for LETTERS PATENT in foreign countries with full benefit of such priorities as may now or hereafter be granted to Assignors by local laws or by treaty including any international convention, for the protection of industrial property, together with the right to extend the protection of the United States LETTERS PATENT to the various territorial possessions now owned or which may be hereafter acquired by the United States of America. Assignee will hold all rights for its own use and benefit and for the use and benefit of its successors or assigns to the full end of the term for which the LETTERS PATENT may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors if this assignment and sale had not been made. Assignors request and authorize the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, US and its foreign counterparts, to issue the LETTERS PATENT when granted, in accordance with this assignment.

Assignors further covenant and agree with the Assignee that Assignors have a full and unencumbered title to the invention, which title Assignors warrant to the Assignee. Assignors further agree that Assignors will, without demanding any further consideration therefor, at the request and expense of the Assignee, do all lawful and just acts, including the execution and acknowledgment of instruments, that may be or become necessary for obtaining sustaining, extending, reissuing or reexamining United States and foreign LETTERS PATENT or the like for the invention, and for maintaining and perfecting the Assignee's right to the invention and LETTERS PATENT particularly in cases of interference conflict, opposition and litigation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have signed this Assignment on the date specified below.

I hereby assign, sell, transfer, to the Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to all inventions in any applications entitled SELF-CENTERING ZOOM BAR GRAPH filed within the United States of America and its territorial possessions and all foreign countries and in and to any LETTERS PATENT of the United States and foreign countries, including utility models, inventor's certificates and like government grants, and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof that may be granted therefor, and the right to apply for LETTERS PATENT in foreign countries with full benefit of such priorities as may now or hereafter be granted to Assignor by local laws or by treaty including any international convention, for the protection of industrial property, together with the right to extend the protection of the United States LETTERS PATENT to the various territorial possessions now owned or which may be hereafter acquired by the United States of America.

Signed:



WILLIAM CULPI

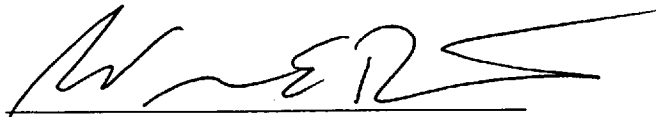
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Signed:


WILLIAM E. BRYANT

5/15/06
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Signed:



JOHN M. RICKMAN

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