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For value received, we, Axel Scherer, of Barnard, Vermont, United States; and Frank T. Hartley of Arcadia, California, United States, hereby sell, assign and transfer to California Institute of Technology (hereinafter "CalTech") having an office at Office of Technology Transfer and Corporate Partnerships, 1200 E. California Blvd, MC 6-32, Pasadena, California, 91125, United States, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to all of the inventions disclosed and claimed in United States Patent Application Serial No. 15/065792 , filed on March 9, 2016 , entitled Mid-Infrared Hyperspectral Spectroscopy Systems and Methods Therefor, which claims priority to US Provisional Application No. 62/130357, filed on March 9, 2015; US Provisional Application No. 62/235,687, filed on October 1, 2015; and US Provisional Application No. 62/264,752, filed on December 8, 2015, and all the rights and privileges in said applications and under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted in the United States for said inventions. We also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to CalTech the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitute, reissue, and/or reexamination applications claiming the benefit of said application and any and all Letters Patent that may issue therefrom.

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Because the application serial number and/or filing date of this application is not known at the time of the execution of this Assignment and Agreement, we authorize the duly-appointed attorneys of Kaplan Breyer Schwarz & Ottesen, LLP to insert the filing date and application serial number of this application in the above paragraph when known.

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We hereby declare that we understand the definition of small entity as defined in 37 CFR 1.27 and in Title 13 of the Code of Federal Regulations, and we declare that the owner of this application is a small entity for the purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. We further declare that we shall immediately notify, or cause to be notified, the USPTO when the owner of this application ceases to be a small entity for the purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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