



License to the Government (by Government Employee - Government to File Patent Application)

WHEREAS, I (we) _____ of _____ have invented certain new and unusual improvements in

_____ for which I am (we are) about to file application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, which application was executed by me (us) on the _____ day of _____, _____, said application being further certified as NASA Case No. _____; and

WHEREAS, the Government of the United States represented by the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and hereinafter referred to as the Government, is desirous of acquiring a license in the invention disclosed in the said application and other rights and benefits herein granted; and

WHEREAS, uniform rules and regulations have been promulgated for the determination of the relative rights of the Government and its employees in and to their inventions;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration for the preparation, filing and prosecution of the application by the Government without cost to me (us) for U.S. Patent and Trademark Office or attorney fees, and other good and valuable consideration, I (we) do hereby grant to the Government a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license in the said invention and under any patents which may issue thereon, including any continuations, divisional, CIP, or reissue patents, with power to grant licenses for all governmental purposes; and I (we) do hereby agree to grant to the Government, upon request, an assignment of the foreign rights in and to the said invention, including rights of priority under the International Convention of Paris (1883), as amended.

I (we) hereby agree that the Government shall have the irrevocable and exclusive right to prosecute the said application, and I (we) hereby appoint the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, or his duly authorized representative, my (our) attorney with the power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute the said application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the patent, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected with the application or patent, and to prosecute, conduct, and make adjustments and settlements of any interferences or conflicts in which the said application or patent, including any continuations, divisional, CIP, or reissue patents, may become involved.

I (we) hereby further agree to make, execute, and deliver unto the Government, upon request, but not at the expense of the Government, any and all papers, documents, affidavits, statements, or other instruments that may be necessary in the prosecution of the said application and of any substitutions, divisions, continuations, CIP, or reissues of said application and further agree to assist the Government in every way in protecting the said invention as may be requested, provided that any expenses arising through extending such assistance will be paid by the Government.

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