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TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Asymptotic Technologies, Incorporated, a corporation of the State of California, having a place of business at 2762 Loker Avenue, West, Carlsbad, California 92008-6603 ("Assignor"), has adopted, owns and is using the following trademarks for which Assignor owns the following identified federal registrations on the Principal Register of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for the goods and/or services identified therein ("the Marks"):

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Registration No.</u>	<u>Registration Date</u>	<u>International Class</u>
DISPENSEJET	1,851,880	August 30, 1994	7
FLUIDMOVE	1,737,546	December 1, 1992	9
ASYMTEK	1,360,363	September 17, 1985	9
DISPENSEMATE	1,532,705	April 4, 1989	7
AUTOMOVE	1,394,694	May 27, 1986	9
EASYMOVE PLUS	1,698,879	July 7, 1992	9

; and

WHEREAS, Nordson Corporation, a corporation of the State of Ohio, with a principal place of business at 28601 Clemens Road, Westlake, Ohio 44145 ("Assignee"), desires to acquire the Marks and the above-referenced Registrations therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Assignee all right,

title and interest in and to each of the Marks, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Marks, and the registrations thereof.

ASYMPTOTIC TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: [Signature]
Robert L. Ciardella
President

Dated: 1/26 2000

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 26th day of January, 2000.



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Notary Public

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NORDSON CORPORATION

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