

CONFLICT AVOIDANCE STATEMENT

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

Licensed Technology: _____

Because of the UD license granted to the above company and my equity* position and continuing relationship with this firm, I acknowledge the potential for a possible conflict of interest between my performance of research at UD and my contractual or other obligations to this firm. Therefore, I will not:

- (1) use students at UD for research and development projects for the company,
- (2) restrict or delay access to information from my UD research, or
- (3) take direct or indirect research support from the company to support my activities at UD.

In addition, to avoid the appearance of a conflict, I will attempt to differentiate clearly between the intellectual directions of my UD research and my contributions to the firm. To that end, I will expressly inform my Research Institute division head or academic department chair annually of the general nature of my activities on behalf of the firm.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

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