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## EXHIBIT B

## C. <u>Claim 81 of the '537 Patent</u>

Claim 81 of the '537 Patent, with disputed claim terms appearing in boldface, reads

as follows:

## 81. (1) An apparatus for forming at least a portion of a threedimensional object

(2) on a substantially **cross sectional basis** 

(3) from a material capable of physical transformation upon **exposure to synergistic stimulation**, comprising:

(4) means for supplying data descriptive of the object;

(5) a container for containing a volume of material having a working surface;

- (6) an applicator
- (7) for **forming layers of material**

(8) **over at least portions of previously formed object cross sections**, the applicator having a bottom opening located in proximity to the working surface;

(9) a **vacuum pump** coupled to the applicator for drawing up material from the working surface through the bottom opening and into the applicator;

(10) means for sweeping the applicator across at least a portion of at least some of the previously formed object cross sections; and

(11) a source of synergistic stimulation

(12) for exposing the layers according to the descriptive data to form at least portion of the object from

(13) a plurality of object cross sections.