We have included excerpts from several inventors and originators who explain the reasons why they were among the first ones to purchase a prototype of the *Intellectual Passport C.B.* from 1996 to 2001

... How many of us would have ventured ... into the patent system... had we from the beginning been sufficiently informed of the hardships that we would have to overcome?... One begins by paying a little, then a little more, and then still more. Thus, one day, out of passion for fanciful thoughts and out of pride for personal ego, one suddenly finds oneself caught in an irreversible mesh ...

Claude Lizé, Quebec inventor © 457219 - 21.10.1996 Invention: small refrigerator adjustable to bicycles

... When I learned that my patent had been counterfeited, my (most reputable) agent explained to me that, since there were two minor changes in the drawings that represented the creative part of my invention, I could not possibly take action against my copiers ... Why did I invest more than one hundred thousand dollars in patent? ... For the same price, I could have supported a female dancer who certainly would have made me happier... In conclusion... without the slightest hesitation, I endorse the Intellectual Passport ...

Serge Meilleur, Quebec inventor © 459856 - 20.01.1997 Invention: insulating concrete casing

... My reasons for choosing the Intellectual Passport are very simple. I am neither the head of an enterprise, nor an administrator, nor a financier, nor a manager, nor a salesman, nor a commercial strategist, nor a leader, etc... I am an inventor ...

Mario de Montigny, Quebec inventor © 460458 - 21.03.1997 Invention: caulk pistol tip

... How can the inventor find his way in a system where lawyers are lost and rulings are contradictory? ... This chaotic situation leads to surrealistic propaganda; consequently, when one thinks of an inventor, one inevitably thinks of some nutty professor like professor Nymbus or Tryphon Tournesol ... Associations of inventors should only serve to denounce copiers by displaying inventions that were counterfeited ... Then and only then would they be useful! ... after suffering anguish through patent's system, I presently use this work to blame its abuse... From now on, no one in the world can deny me this vital element provided by the Intellectual Passport: the definitive ownership of my work ...

Monique Desbois, French inventor © 485828 - 28.06.2000 Invention: filter for the nose

... What convinced me to purchase the Intellectual Passport was the fact that, beside my own biography, it included a complete explanation of Intellectual Property and the need to claim such property, as well as carefully written contracts for the subsequent launching of my product according to the versatile though optional method of distribution of rights ...

Henri Eber, French inventor living in Berlin, Germany © 490297 - 07.03.2001 Invention: computerized neuro-linguistic program