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Dedicated to my FAMILY and the repeaters and to my

**Grandfather Ioannis Gewrgiadis who is no longer with us
He passed away on 08/06/2004. I will always keep him in my
heart.**

May his soul rest in peace.

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PART A2:

SUMMARY

This project deals with the methods and the construction of a bird repelling device that transmits a range of frequencies that are annoying to birds which also includes a PIR presence detector which when it sets on it will switch on our device and a mechanical lever that will work for a fixed period of time.

This project is divided into two parts, the theoretical and the mechanical part.

The theory recalls problems of bird strikes to aircrafts which lead to fatalities like in U.S.A where it is estimated that bird strikes cost over \$300.000.000 in damage to aircraft.

We will also make an overview to oscillator's theory and the optoelectronics theory about the presence detector.

The practical part will lead with a series of IC components related to audio functions along with proper components that will bring to conclusion the project.

It will also deal with the mechanical part which is a motor that will rotate on a 180 degrees plane along with small mirrors for reflection of the sun.

This mechanical device will be turned on by our PIR presence detector.