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hereinafter called assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in

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(assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to
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Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

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I/We hereby authorize and request my attorneys SUGHRUE, MION, ZINN, MACPEAK & SEAS of
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Date: **February 2, s/ Claude ARTIGUE**
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