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A) David John Grubish  
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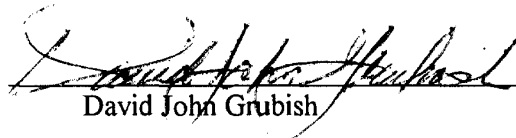
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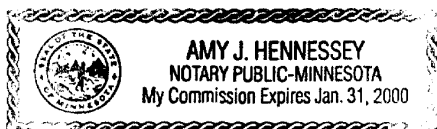
In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which I acknowledge receipt, **David John Grubish** of **2445 Schaller Drive, Maplewood, MN 55119** sells and assigns to General Electric Company, a New York Corporation, its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in **COLLAPSIBLE AND RELATIVELY ROTATABLE DRIVE SHAFT** invented by me, as described in the application for United States Patent was filed on May 7, 1998 as Serial Number: 09/074,212; and any and all applications for patent and patents therefor in any and all countries, including all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said improvements or resulting therefrom to said General Electric Company, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said Company, I will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to me respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

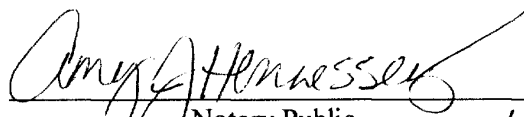
June 11, 1998  
Date

  
David John Grubish

STATE OF Minnesota )  
COUNTY OF ~~Hennepin~~ Ramsey ) ss:

This 11th day of June, 1998, before me personally came the above-named, David John Grubish to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



  
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My Commission Expires: 1/31/2000