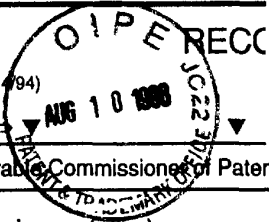


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WHEREAS, C.F. MARTIN & COMPANY, INC., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and engaged in business at 510 Sycamore Street, Nazareth, Pennsylvania 18064, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the said invention and any and all applications for Letters Patent and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued therefor;


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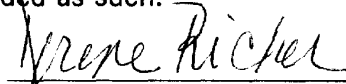
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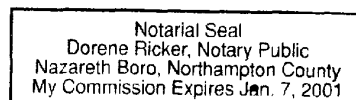
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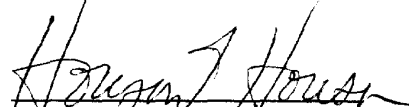
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