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(hereinafter called the "Assignee" is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the United States in and to the inventions described in the above patents.

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