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of: **Bürgerplatz 20, D - 85748 Garching, Federal Republic of Germany**

has invented certain new and useful improvements in the Invention entitled:

**ELECTROSTRICTIVE OR PIEZOELECTRIC ACTUATOR DEVICE**

as described and as claimed in the Application for **Letters Patent of the United States of America** executed by the Assignor on: \_\_\_\_\_ (the same date as this Assignment unless otherwise set forth), and as filed in the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office on: \_\_\_\_\_ under U. S. Application Serial No.: \_\_\_\_\_, and as identified by Attorney Docket No.3626;

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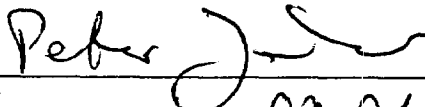
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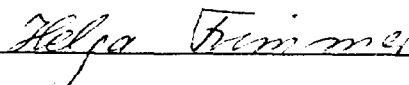
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