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WHEREAS, WE, RENÉ WAEBER, a citizen of Switzerland, residing at ZIELSTRASSE 79, CH-8400 WINTERTHUR, SWITZERLAND; WALTER SCHLEPFER, a citizen of Switzerland, residing at STATIONSSTR.3, CH-8406 WINTERTHUR, SWITZERLAND; BEAT NÄF, a citizen of Switzerland, residing at REBACKERSTRASSE 18a, CH-8645 JONA, SWITZERLAND; CHRISTIAN SAUTER, a citizen of Switzerland, residing at LAHMERSTRASSE 10, CH-8247 FLURLINGEN, SWITZERLAND; and JÜRIG FAAS, a citizen of Switzerland, residing at OBERKAHNENSTRASSE 13, CH-8450 ANDELFINGEN, SWITZERLAND (hereinafter referenced as ASSIGNORS), have invented a certain new and useful invention entitled TRASH ELIMINATION APPARATUSES FOR FIBER CLEANING AGGREGATES, for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States has been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;

AND WHEREAS, MASCHINENFABRIK RIETER AG, having its principal office and place of business at KLOSTERSTRASSE 20, CH-8406 WINTERTHUR, SWITZERLAND, (hereinafter ASSIGNEE) is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

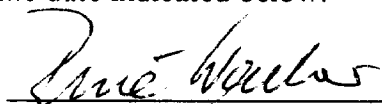
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And we hereby agree, at the expense of ASSIGNEE, to testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, and substitute applications, make lawful oaths and declarations, and generally do everything possible to vest title in ASSIGNEE and to aid ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

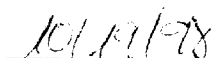
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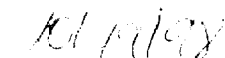
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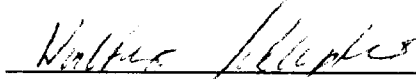
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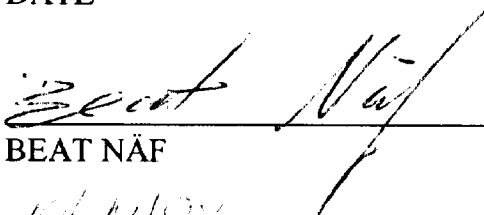
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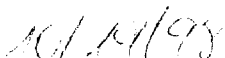
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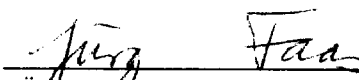
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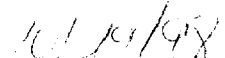
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