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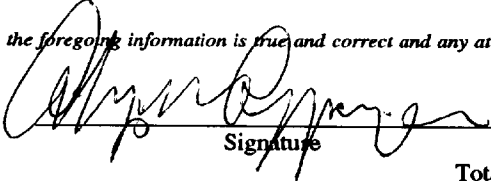
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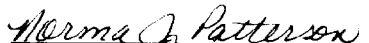
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**Ronny W. Lin, Bruce C. Berris, John M. Power,  
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citizens of the United States of America, John M. Power is a citizen of Ireland, residing, respectively, at 2823 Galahad Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70816; 1537 Oakdale Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70810; 635 Mossy Oak Avenue, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70810; 5103 Nicholson Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70820; 2816 Dakin Avenue, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70820; and 4111 Country Hill Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70816; have made at least one invention, improvement or discovery described in patent application papers having the above designated case number **OR-6988-A** and entitled

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We further agree to execute such further papers, and perform such other proper acts as said Corporation may deem necessary to secure to said Corporation the rights herein conveyed; and we hereby authorize the insertion into this Assignment of the serial number and filing date of said application.

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On this 4th day of February, 1998, personally appeared before me  
**Ronny W. Lin**

to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument in my presence, and who acknowledged that he executed the same of his own free will for the uses and purposes herein mentioned.

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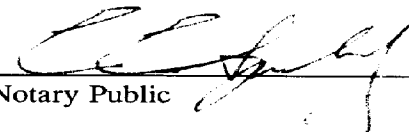
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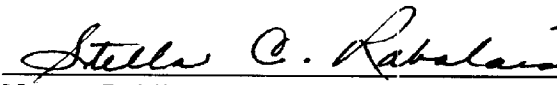
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