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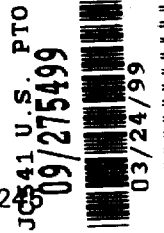
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WHEREAS, Atlanta Attachment Company, a corporation of the State of Georgia, and having a place of business at 401 Industrial Park Drive, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30245, is desirous of acquiring all rights in the same;

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of Five Dollars (\$5.00) or other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I assign and transfer unto Atlanta Attachment Company our entire right, title, and interest in and to said application, in and to any divisions, continuations, and reissues thereof, in and to any patents to issue therefrom and in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in said application, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and I hereby request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States resulting from said application, or from a division, continuation, or reissue thereof, to Atlanta Attachment Company, as assignee, for its interest, and for the sole use and behoof of Atlanta Attachment Company and its assigns and legal representatives.

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