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Whereas, SOLOCO, L.L.C., (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention, foreign and domestic, and in any Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

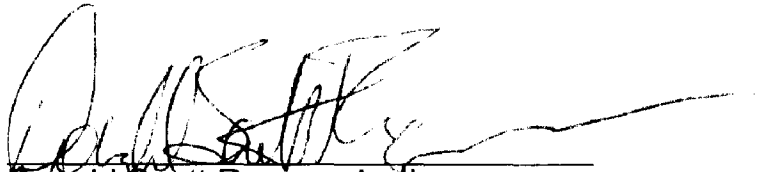
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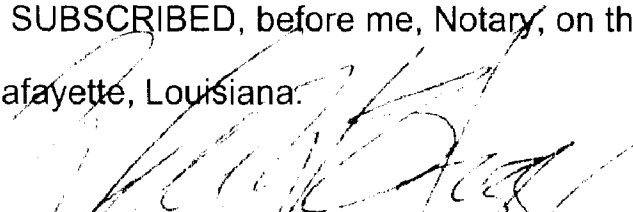
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Dated: NOV 5, 1999



Donald Scott Rogers, Assignor

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