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WHEREAS, We, Francesco RAUCHI, Luigi BRUTI, Demetrio CUCCU' and Luigi FERRARI

have invented certain new and useful improvements in "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CREATING MUSICAL ACCOMPANIMENTS BY COMBINING MUSICAL DATA SELECTED FROM PATTERNS OF DIFFERENT STYLES"

for which we have made application for Letters Patent of the United States of America;

AND WHEREAS, ROLAND EUROPE S.P.A. Via Leonardo da Vinci 11- Zona Industriale - 63030 ACQUAVIVA PICENA (AP) - Italy

desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor from the United States;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for and in consideration of \$10.00 Dollars (\$ 10.00 )

to us in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by us, we have assigned, sold, and set over, and by these presents do hereby assign, sell, and set over unto the said ROLAND EUROPE S.P.A.

\* the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to the said invention, as fully set forth and described in the:

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preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said ROLAND EUROPE S.P.A. for their own use and behoof, and for their legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent are granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and affix our seals at this 4th day of November, A.D. 1999

FRANCESCO RAUCHI

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