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NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me/us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we, the said **ASSIGNOR(S)** have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reexamination certificates, reissues and extensions thereof, and I/we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, to issue all Letters Patent for said invention to the said **ASSIGNEE**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

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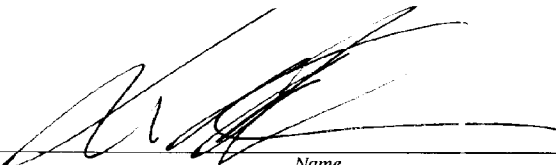
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