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and have today executed an application for Letters Patent of the United
States of America based thereon;

Now, Therefore, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of
which is acknowledged, we have individually and jointly agreed to assign
and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto the FERRANIA S.p.A.,
an Italian Company, having its principal office at Cairo
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right, title, and interest in and to the said invention and application,
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In witness whereof, we have hereunto signed our names on the day and year set forth below.

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