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an application for which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 17, 2000, Serial No. 09/505,669.

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a corporation of Germany (hereinafter referred to as Assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or improvement;

Now, Therefore, in consideration of \$1, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, I, by these presents, do sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives in and for the United States and its territories and for all foreign countries, the full and exclusive right in and to the said invention as described in said above application, together with any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, and any divisions, reissues,

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I hereby authorize my attorneys, identified in the declaration constituting a part of said application, to insert in this Assignment the serial number and filing date of the above-identified application when known.

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