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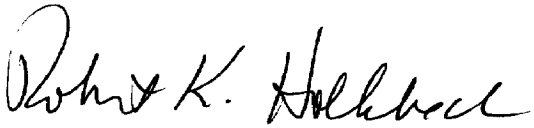
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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of One Dollar and/or other good and valuable consideration, of which we acknowledge receipt, we, **Robert K. Hollenbeck**, of **12212 Amber Ridge Drive, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46814**, and **David M. Erdman**, of **5120 Archwood Lane, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46825**, sell and assign to General Electric Company, a New York Corporation, its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in **METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR MINIMIZING VIBRATION IN ELECTRIC MACHINES, (03DV-7024)** , invented by us, as described in the application for United States patent executed concurrently herewith, and any and all applications for patent and patents therefor in any and all countries, including all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said improvements or resulting therefrom to said General Electric Company, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said Company, we will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to us respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

The aforementioned Assignors, **Robert K. Hollenbeck**, of **12212 Amber Ridge Drive, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46814**, and **David M. Erdman**, of **5120 Archwood Lane, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46825**, hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that wilful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such wilful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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Signed at town of FORT WAYNE, State of INDIANA,  
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