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In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid to each of the undersigned,

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| | maker(s) of an invention which is the subject of an application for Letters Patent of the United States ("Application") entitled | | | |
| Title of Application | DEVICE FOR MEASURING THE MATERIAL LEVEL IN A VESSEL | | | |
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| | Oct. 18, 1999, Oct 18, 1999, Oct 18, 1999, and Oct. 18, 1999 | | | |
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| | Application Serial Number: 09/429,198 | | | |
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