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 A) Andrew John Tomko
 B)
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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
 General Electric Company
 1 River Road, Bldg. 37 - 5
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Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:
 Assignment Merger
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- A. Patent Application No.(s) 09/621,195 B. Patent No.(s)

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

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Date

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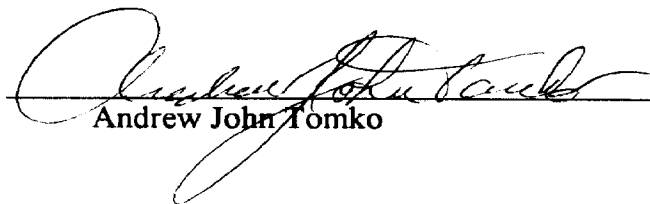
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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which I acknowledge receipt, Andrew John Tomko of 5 Drott Drive, Glenville, NY 12302 sells and assigns to General Electric Company, a New York Corporation, its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in TURBINE DIAPHRAGM SUPPORT SYSTEM invented by me, as described in the application for United States Patent was filed on July 21, 2000 as Serial Number: 09/621,195; 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, I will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to me 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.

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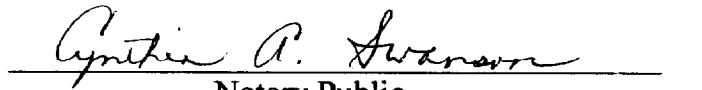

Andrew John Tomko

STATE OF New York)
COUNTY OF Schenectady)

) ss:

This 13th day of October, 2000, before me personally came the above-named Andrew John Tomko, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

CYNTHIA A. SWANSON
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