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and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor; and

Whereas, SIEMENS AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT, of Wittelsbacherplatz 2, 80333 Munich, Federal Republic of Germany (assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

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