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- 3) Dan EPSTEIN
- 4) Marco AZZOLINI
- 5) Scott MACRAE



Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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State:

Zip Code:

3. Nature of conveyance:

☒ Assignment ☐ Merger

☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name

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Additional name(s) & Address(es) attached?

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5) 9/6/00

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A. Patent Application Number:

09/457,394

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PATENT
REEL: 011276 FRAME: 0960

Attorney Docket No.:04917.0069

JOINT INVENTION
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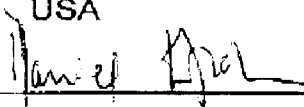
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