

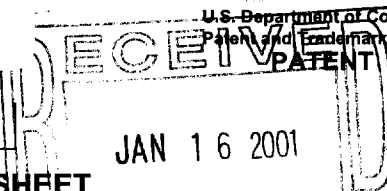
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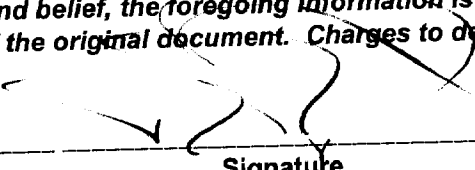
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS: We, Simon Korowitz, Harris D. Kagan and Harold Lake

who reside respectively at 33 Howard Farm Road, Sharon, MA 02067, 8 Maple Place, Foxboro, MA 02035 and 5 Carlton Road, Sharon, MA 02067

have made certain inventions or discoveries (or both) set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, having a patent serial number of 08/560,167, entitled: Distributed Control System Including a Compact Easily-Extendible and Serviceable Field Controller which application was executed by us on even date and is identified by The Foxboro Company File Number 95,009

and whereas: THE FOXBORO COMPANY, a Massachusetts Corporation whose address is Foxboro, Massachusetts, and which, together with its assigns is hereinafter called "Assignee", and is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits and privileges hereinafter recited, and of confirming the same or any part thereof heretofore acquired by Assignee.

Now, therefore, for valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to us, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby, without reservation:

1. Assign and convey to and confirm in Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and discoveries, including said application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions and discoveries in whatsoever countries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation and Convention applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or discoveries or upon said application, and any and all Letters Patent and reissues and extensions of Letters Patent granted for said inventions and discoveries or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said discoveries, said applications and said Letters Patent;
2. Authorize Assignee to file patent applications in any or all countries on any or all of said inventions and discoveries in our names or in the name of Assignee or otherwise as Assignee may deem advisable, under the International Convention or otherwise;
3. Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein or otherwise as Assignee may direct;
4. Warrant that we have not knowingly conveyed to others any right in said inventions, discoveries, applications or patents or any license to use the same or to make, use or sell anything embodying or utilizing any of said inventions or discoveries; and that we have good right to assign the same to Assignee without encumbrance; and
5. Bind our heirs and legal representatives, as well as ourselves, to do, upon Assignee's request and at its expense, but without additional consideration to us or them, all acts reasonably serving to assure that the said inventions and discoveries, the said patent applications and the said Letters Patent shall be held and enjoyed by Assignee as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by us or by our heirs or representatives if this assignment had not been made; and particularly to execute and deliver to Assignee all lawful application documents including petitions, specifications, and oaths and all assignments, disclaimers, and lawful affidavits in form and substance as may be requested by Assignee; to communicate to Assignee all facts known to us relating to said inventions and discoveries or the history thereof; and to furnish Assignee with any and all documents, photographs, models, samples and other physical exhibits in our control or in the control of our heirs or legal representatives and which may be useful for establishing the facts of our conceptions, disclosures, and reduction to practice of said inventions and discoveries.

In Witness Whereof, We hereto set our hand and seal at Foxborough, Massachusetts USA this 24 day of January, 1976.

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Before me this 24th day of January, 1976, personally appeared _____

Simon Korowitz, Harris D. Kagan and Harold Lake

_____ known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free acts and deeds for the purposes therein contained.

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