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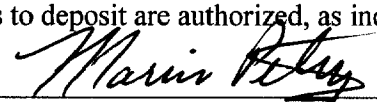
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a corporation of the Netherlands
having a place of business at Burg. G.J.F. Tijdemanstraat 13, 2631 RE NOOTDORP
its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent, for which I filed an application for United States letters Patent on June 29, 2000, which application was accorded application no. 09/606,208 and is entitled "Apparatus for Drying Substantially Ellipsoid Products, such as for Instance Eggs".

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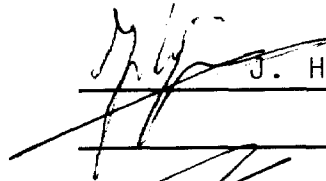
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