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have invented improvements in the application entitled

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for which I have executed on even date herewith an application for Letters Patent of the United States, and

WHEREAS, CARLING TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

a corporation of the State of Connecticut

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is desirous of acquiring an interest in said invention, said application and the Letters Patent to be issued therefor;

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