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owned by it and described in United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/396,949, for United States Letters Patent therefor, and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, said interest being in said invention, said application all Letters Patent granted therefrom, to be held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by said ASSIGNOR if this assignment and sale had not been made;

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