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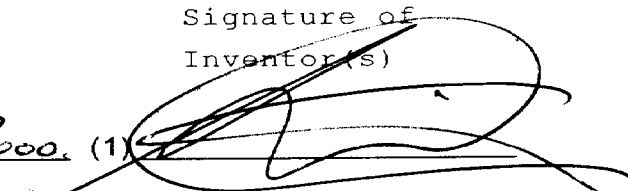
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(hereafter "Assignee") desires to acquire said application and any Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

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