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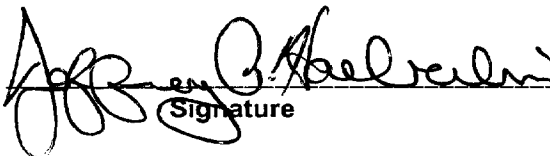
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AND WHEREAS, GENLYTE THOMAS GROUP LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company, whose principal place of business is located at 4360 Brownsboro Road, Suite 300, Louisville, Kentucky 40207 (hereafter, together with any successors, legal representatives or assigns thereof, called "Assignee"), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in said Design, said application, and any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Inventor hereby sells, assigns and transfers his entire right, title and interest in said Design, said Application, including any divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States, and all countries foreign thereto, which may be granted or have been granted for said Design, and in and to any and all reissues and reexaminations thereof, and in and to any and all priority rights, Convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to the Inventor with respect to the filing of applications for patents or the securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto, unto said Assignee;

AND THE INVENTOR HEREBY agrees to sign and execute all necessary and lawful future documents, including applications for foreign patents, for filing divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application for patent, and/or, for obtaining any reissue or reissues of any Letters Patent which may be granted for my aforesaid Design, as the Assignee or its Designee(s) may from time to time require and prepare at its own expense;

AND THE INVENTOR HEREBY authorizes and requests the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and any offices of foreign countries whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue any Letters Patent granted upon said Application or for said Design to said Assignee.

YOSHINAO SHIMADA

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