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a sole proprietorship (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and to all subject matter invented by and disclosed and claimed in a Continuing application for Letters Patent of the United States of America Serial No. 09/183,618 filed October 30, 1998, entitled:

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On <u>April 26, 2001</u> before me, <u>Tammu K. Sipkema</u>, a notary public, personally appeared Jeffrey E. Landtroop personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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