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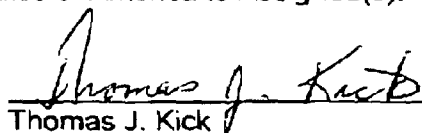
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WHEREAS, The Boeing Company, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 7755 E. Marginal Way S., Seattle, King County, Washington 98108, hereinafter referred to as Assignee(s), are desirous of acquiring an interest therein:

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