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Whereas, bautex Adolf Stöver Söhne GmbH & Co. KG, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Germany, and having its principal offices at Grasweg 18-22, 27607 Langen-Sievern, Germany (the "assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

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