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ASSIGNMENT OF U.S.A. PATENT APPLICATION

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WHEREAS,

(Inventors:)

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(hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNOR") have invented certain new and useful
improvements in: PRESSURE
(title) ELECTRONIC SENSING DEVICE

for which ASSIGNOR has

- executed on even date herewith
 executed on _____, 20____
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an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, Serial No. _____

And WHEREAS, WALKER RESEARCH LLC

a company organized under the laws of USA
and having a principal place of business at: 2220 WEST 50TH STREET, ERIE,
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Name : RALPH ANDREW FERRIS

Date : 1-4-02

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