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ASSIGNMENT

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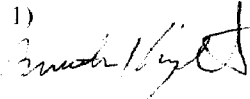

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TITLE OF INVENTION	DRIVER CIRCUIT FOR A VOICE COIL MOTOR IN A DISK DRIVE SYSTEM			
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