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METHOD AND CONFIGURATION FOR DIAGNOSIS OF A CAPACITIVE ACTUATOR

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America was executed on the date of execution of this assignment;

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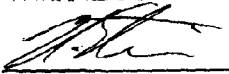
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AND WE hereby authorize the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States on said invention or resulting from said Application and from any and all divisions and continuations thereof to the said corporation as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same.

WHEREAS, we have hereunto set our hands and seal.


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