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BACKGROUND OF THIS ASSIGNMENT:

Inventors have conceived certain new and useful inventions disclosed in a United States patent application titled Method and Apparatus for Monitoring Equivalent Series Resistance and for Shunting a Fuel Cell.

AVISTA LABORATORIES, INC. (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in said inventions and with respect to any Letters Patent that may be granted with respect to the inventions in both the United States and in all foreign countries.

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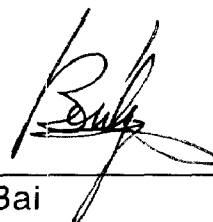
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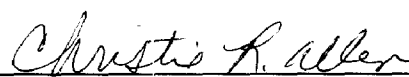
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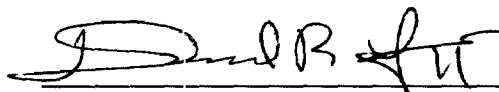
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