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Name: VAI Pomini, Inc.

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Street Address: Penn Center West,

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B. Patent No.(s) U.S. 4,437,899 *
4,286,649Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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Rokop Corporation

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Execution Date: November 13, 1998

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Techint Technologies Inc.

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: Cherrington Corporate Center100 Corporate Center DriveCity: CoraopolisState: PA Zip: 15108Country: United States of AmericaAdditional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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Patent Nos.: 4,286,649; 4,437,899 and 4,724,893

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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Techint Technologies Inc., a Pennsylvania corporation, having an office at 100 Corporate Center Drive, Cherrington Corporate Center, Coraopolis, PA 15102-3185 (herein "ASSIGNOR"), is the owner of all right, title, and interest, for all countries, in and to any and all inventions and improvements which are disclosed and claimed, and any and all improvements which are disclosed but not claimed, in the following United States Patents and Canadian Patents (said inventions, improvements, and patents collectively referred to herein as "PATENT PROPERTY"):

United States Patents

<u>Patent Title</u>	<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Metal Billet Cutting Apparatus and Method	4,437,899	March 20, 1984
Apparatus for Storing a Continuous Casting Starting Bar in Elevated Position	4,286,649	September 1, 1981

Canadian Patents

<u>Patent Title</u>	<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Apparatus for Storing a Continuous Casting Starting Bar in Elevated Position	1,180,877	January 25, 1985
Continuous Casting Apparatus with Removable Mold	1,114,130	December 15, 1981

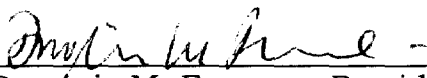
AND WHEREAS VAI Pomini Inc., a Pennsylvania corporation, having an office at Penn Center West, Building Four, Suite 303, Pittsburgh, PA 15276 (herein "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring ASSIGNOR'S entire right, title, and interest in and to said PATENT PROPERTY and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and in accordance with its obligations under the Asset Purchase Agreement effective as of June 29, 2001, to which ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNEE are parties, and the understanding underlying said Agreement, ASSIGNOR hereby assigns, sells, transfers, and sets over unto said ASSIGNEE, effective as of June 29, 2001, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said PATENT PROPERTY and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign countries and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor in the United States and all foreign countries and all divisions, reissues, continuations, renewals, and/or extensions thereof including all priority rights under the International Convention

associated therewith for each country and the Union, said ASSIGNEE to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full ends of the terms of said Letters Patent and any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had this assignment not been made.

And for the consideration aforesaid, ASSIGNOR agrees that it will communicate to said ASSIGNEE or the representatives thereof any facts known to ASSIGNOR respecting said inventions and improvements, and will, upon request, but at ASSIGNEE's expense, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, renewal, and/or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by said ASSIGNEE or by counsel for said ASSIGNEE, to assist or enable said ASSIGNEE to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned.

TECHINT TECHNOLOGIES INC.

By: 
Dominic M. Faccone, President

Dated: January 17, 2002

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania :
County of Allegheny :

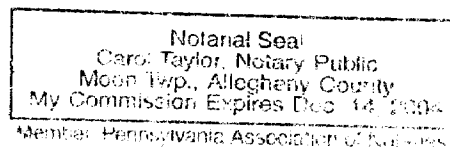
Before me, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared Dominic M. Faccone, who acknowledged that he is the person who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and notarial seal this 17th day of JANUARY, 2002.

Carol Taylor

Notary Public

(NOTARY SEAL)



ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Rokop Corporation, a Pennsylvania corporation, having an office at 400 Old Pond Road, Abele Business Park, Suite 301, Bridgeville, PA 15017 (herein "ASSIGNOR"), is the owner of all right, title and interest, for all countries, in and to any and all inventions and improvements which are disclosed and claimed, and any and all improvements which are disclosed but not claimed, in the following United States Patents and Canadian Patents (said inventions, improvements, and patents collectively referred to herein as "PATENT PROPERTY"):

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<u>Patent Title</u>	<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Continuous Casting Starting Bar Head	4,724,893	February 16, 1988
Metal Billet Cutting Apparatus and Method	4,437,899	March 20, 1984
Apparatus for Storing a Continuous Casting Starting Bar in Elevated Position	4,286,649	September 1, 1981

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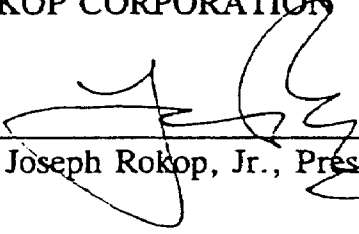
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assigned to the full ends of the terms of said Letters Patent and any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had this assignment not been made.

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EXECUTED November 13, 1998.

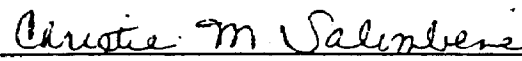
ROKOP CORPORATION

By:  (SEAL)
Joseph Rokop, Jr., President

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania :
: ss.
County of Allegheny :

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared Joseph Rokop, Jr., who acknowledged that he is the person who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and notarial seal this 13th day of November, 1998.


Notary Public

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