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IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and for other good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which I hereby acknowledge, I,

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believing myself to be the inventor of a certain invention or discovery in

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as fully set forth and described in my application for United States Letters Patent executed concurrently herewith

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on the date indicated hereinafter.

Date: February 12, 2001 Ernest J. Wichert  
ERNEST J. WICHERT

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STATE OF New Jersey )  
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On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2001, before me, the subscriber, personally came **ERNEST J. WICHERT**, to me known and known to me to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me  
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