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have invented certain new and useful improvements as described in an application entitled **PRODUCING AN OBJECT-BASED DESCRIPTION OF AN EMBROIDERY PATTERN FROM A BITMAP**

for Letters Patent of the United States, the application having been executed on even date herewith, and/or being identifiable in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Serial No.10/226,369, filed on 22 August 2002; and

WHEREAS, **VSM Group AB**

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Sweden and having offices at **HUSQVARNA, S-56184, SWEDEN**

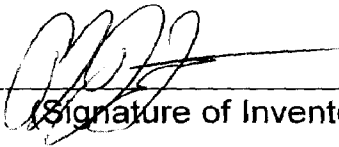
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I authorize the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to insert in this instrument the filing date and serial number of the application when ascertained.

I authorize the Assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent or similar legal protection, in its own name if desired, in any and all foreign countries.


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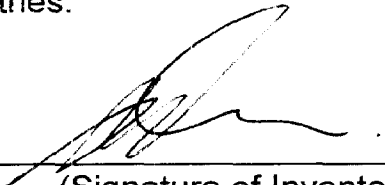
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