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FROM A SINGLE DC BUS**

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3. Description of the interest conveyed:

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4. Date of Execution of Application:

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ASSIGNMENT

We, Louis R. Nerone, of 8058 Tanager Oval, Brecksville, OH 44141 and Joseph C. Oberle of 8197 Tulip Lane, Chagrin Falls, OH 44023, having invented certain new and useful improvements in:

MULTIPLE BALLASTS OPERABLE FROM A SINGLE DC BUS

for which we are about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States, which claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/323,447, filed September 19, 2001, the said application having been executed by us on the date indicated below, do hereby, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, sell, assign, and transfer unto:

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

a New York corporation, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions, and in all foreign countries with all rights under the International Convention including the right to claim priority, and the entire and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, and extensions thereof, and to said aforementioned U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/323,447, filed September 19, 2001.

We, therefore, authorize and request the Patent Office officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all Letters Patent when granted, solely to the said:

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

for its sole use, and that of its successors, and assigns.

Signed at Cleveland, Ohio on this 30th day of August, 2002

Louis R. Nerone
Louis R. Nerone

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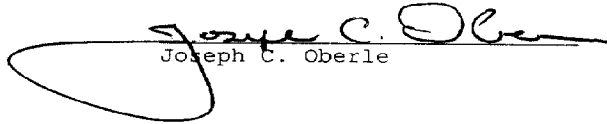
Personally appeared before me this day, the above named Louis R. Nerone, to me personally known, who acknowledged that he signed the foregoing instrument for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that the same is his free act and deed.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this 30th day of AUGUST, 2002.

Karin L. Shearn
Notary Public

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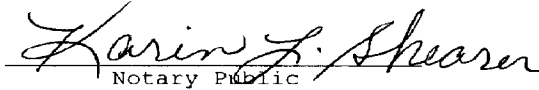
Signed at CLEVELAND, OH on this 6 day of SEPTEMBER, 2002.


Joseph C. Oberle

STATE OF OHIO)
COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA) : SS
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Personally appeared before me this day, the above named Joseph C. Oberle, to me personally known, who acknowledged that he signed the foregoing instrument for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that the same is his free act and deed.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this 6TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2002.


Notary Public

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KARIN L. SHEARER
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires 03-26-2005
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