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To the Honorable Commissioner of Pa

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1. Name of conveying party(ies):  
Robert W. Bruce

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Additional name of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: The General Electric Company

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: One River Road

City: Schenectady State: NY Zip: 12345

Additional Name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

☒ Assignment

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

10/278,570

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

Name: Carmen Santa Maria

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

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Carmen Santa Maria

Signature

January 31, 2003

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**ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION**

Whereas I, **Robert W. Bruce**, hereafter referred to as applicant, who resides at 221 Woodcrest Drive, Loveland, OH 45140 have invented certain new and useful improvements in a **TRIBOLOGICALLY IMPROVED DESIGN FOR VARIABLE STATOR VANES**.

- ☐ for which an application for a United States Patent was **filed on Even Date Herewith, Application Number (Unassigned)**;
- ☒ for which an application for a United States Patent was filed on **October 23, 2002, Application Number 10/278,570**.

and

Whereas, **The General Electric Company**, whose post office address is **One River Road, Schenectady, NY 12345**, hereinafter referred to as "assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00), the receipt whereof is acknowledged and other good and valuable consideration the receipt of which from assignee is hereby acknowledged, I as assignor have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to this invention and this application, and all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof, and all rights to claim priority on the basis of such application, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for this invention in any foreign country and all Letters Patent which may be granted on this invention in any foreign country, and all extensions, renewals, and reissues thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as described above, to issue all Letters Patent for this invention to assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this assignment;

AND, I hereby covenant that I have the full right to convey the interest assigned by this Assignment, and I have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment;

AND, I hereby further covenant and agree that I will, without further consideration,

communicate with assignee, its successors and assigns, any facts known to me respecting this invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to this invention in said assignee, its successors or assigns, execute all divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce Letters Patent for this invention in the United States and any foreign country, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be borne by the assignee, its successors and assigns.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein and on the accompanying Assignment Recordal Letter of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing therefrom.

Executed this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2003, at GEAE Evendale

Robert William Bruce  
Robert W. Bruce

County of Hamilton

) Robert W. BRUCE

) SS. 221 Woodcrest Drive

State of Ohio

) Loveland, OH 45140

By: Robert William Bruce

Date: 01/27/03

Subscribed and Sworn to me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2003.

Kimberly M. Howard, Notary Public.

**Kimberly M. Howard**  
**Notary Public, State of Ohio**  
**My Commission Expires**  
**October 2, 2006**  
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