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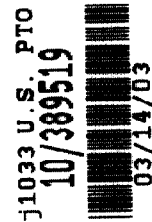
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In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which we acknowledge receipt, we, **JAMES MICHAEL PLACKO**, 7453 Amy Beth Court, West Chester, Ohio 45069; **LAUTARO ASPIAZU MONTGOMERY**, 8652 Charleston Creek Drive, Mason, Ohio 45040; and **ROBERT PAUL COLEMAN**, 2880 Stone Mill Way, Indian Springs, Ohio 45011, sell and assign to **GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY** (hereinafter "COMPANY"), a New York Corporation, its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in **METHODS FOR OPERATING GAS TURBINE ENGINES**, invented by us, as described in the application for United States patent executed concurrently herewith, and any and all applications for patent and patents therefor in any and all countries, including all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said improvements or resulting therefrom to said COMPANY, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said COMPANY, we will communicate to said Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to us respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said COMPANY, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

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JAMES MICHAEL PLACKO

March 12, 2003



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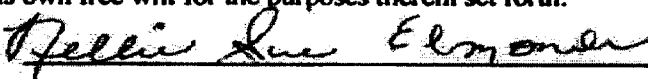


ROBERT PAUL COLEMAN

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This 12 day of March, 2003, before me personally came the above-named **JAMES MICHAEL PLACKO**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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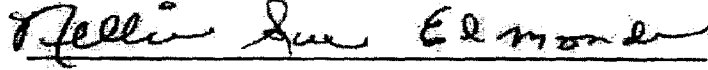
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