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CRAIG ALLEN BIELEK  
ROBERT ALAN BRITTINGHAM  
JEFF BRIAN THOMPSON  
BENJAMIN ARNETTE LAGRANGE  
ROBERT WALTER COIGN

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: General Electric Company

Internal Address:

Street Address: One River Road

City: Schenectady

State/Country: New York

Zip: 12345

Additional name/s of conveying party/ies attached? ☐

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Assignment ☐ Change of Name  
☐ Other

Execution Date: 3/10/03; 3/10/03; 3/13/03; 3/10/03;  
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- (1)  
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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications & patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)

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☒ Enclosed

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Richard G. Besha

Name of Person Signing  
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March 17, 2003

Date

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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which we acknowledge receipt, CRAIG ALLEN BIELEK, ROBERT ALAN BRITTINGHAM, JEFF BRIAN THOMPSON, BENJAMIN ARNETTE LAGRANGE and ROBERT WALTER COIGN of 109 Summer Hill Road, Simpsonville, South Carolina 29681; 419 Woodson Road, Peidmont, South Carolina 29673; P.O. Box 11871, Jackson, Tennessee 38308; 208 Ash Ridge Way, Simpsonville, South Carolina 29681 and 175 Kingsland Way, Piedmont, South Carolina 29673, respectively, sell and assign to General Electric Company, a New York Corporation, its successors and assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements in AIRFOIL SHAPE FOR A TURBINE BUCKET invented by us, as described in the application for United States Patent being filed herewith; 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 General Electric 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.

03/10/03

Date



CRAIG ALLEN BIELEK

Witnessed by:

Name:



Date:

03/10/03

Name:



Date:

03/10/03

STATE OF SC

ss):

COUNTY OF Greenville

This 10 day of MARCH, 2003, before me personally came the above-named, CRAIG ALLEN BIELEK, 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.

Mary N. Byers  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

My Commission Expires  
April 24, 2010

03/10/03

Date

Robert Alan Brittingham  
ROBERT ALAN BRITTINGHAM

Witnessed by:

Name: Li. Brit

Date: 3/10/03

Name: Edward G. G. G.

Date: 3/10/03

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This 10 day of MARCH, 2003, before me personally came the above-named, ROBERT ALAN BRITTINGHAM, 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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3/10/03

Date

Jeff Brian Thompson  
JEFF BRIAN THOMPSON

Witnessed by:

Name: Paul Kille Date: 3/13/03

Name: Robert Cook Date: 3/13/03

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COUNTY OF MADISON

This 13 day of MARCH, 2003, before me personally came the above-named, JEFF BRIAN THOMPSON, 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.

Alma K. Kille  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 9-20-2004

3/10/03

Date

Benjamin Arnette Lagrange  
BENJAMIN ARNETTE LAGRANGE

Witnessed by:

Name: Edward D. Byars

Date: 3/10/03

Name: Robert H. Butcher

Date: 03/10/03

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This 10 day of MARCH, 2003, before me personally came the above-named, BENJAMIN ARNETTE LAGRANGE, 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.

Mary N. Byars

Notary Public

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**April 24, 2010**

3/10/03  
Date

Robert Walter Coign  
ROBERT WALTER COIGN

Witnessed by:

Name: Edward D. Giger Date: 3/10/03

Name: Robert Allan Butcher Date: 03/10/03

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This 10 day of March, 2003, before me personally came the above-named, ROBERT WALTER COIGN, 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.

Mary N. Bryan  
Notary Public

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