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The undersigned is/are the named inventor(s) (the "Inventor(s)") on a United States patent application entitled **NITRIDE-BASED LASER DIODE WITH AlGaN WAVEGUIDE/CLADDING LAYER** (the "Application") for inventions disclosed or claimed therein (the "Invention(s)"), which Application:

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