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WHEREAS, we, Corey Blaine Multer, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 2839 Covered Bridge Road, Merrick New York 11566, USA, Robert L. Conway, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 405 Litchfield Avenue, Babylon, NY 11702, USA, and David John Baelis, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 44 Hillsdale Road, Edison, NJ 08820, USA, (hereinafter the "Assignors") have invented one or more inventions (hereinafter referred to as "said invention(s)") disclosed in an application for Letters Patent of the United States titled METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING LIQUIDITY OPTIONS AND PERMANENT LEGACY BENEFITS FOR ANNUITIES (hereinafter referred to as "said application"), said application having been filed concurrently herewith under attorney docket number 3689/15.

WHEREAS, New York Life Insurance Company (hereinafter together with its successors and assigns referred to as "the Assignee"), a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 51 Madison Avenue, New York, New York 10010 is desirous of obtaining all right, title and interest in, to and under said invention(s) and said application; and

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