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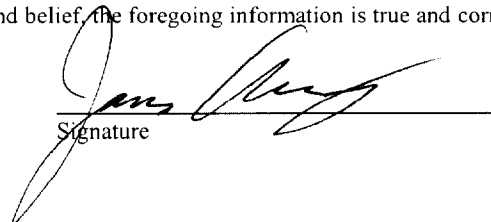
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(Name of Assignee) TAIWAN SALT COMPANY

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The ASSIGNEE is:

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