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The undersigned agree(s) to execute all papers necessary in connection with the application(s) and any continuing, divisional, reissue, reexamination or corresponding application(s) thereof and also to execute separate assignments in connection with such applications as the Assignees may deem necessary or expedient.

The undersigned agree(s) to execute all papers necessary in connection with any interference which may be declared concerning the application(s) or any continuation, division, reissue or reexamination thereof and to cooperate with the Assignees in every way possible in obtaining evidence and going forward with such interference.

The undersigned hereby covenant(s) that he has (they have) full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that he has (they have) not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict therewith.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) Shelly Guest Cernak, Registration No. 39,571 of Ajinomoto Corporate Services, LLC, 1120 Connecticut Avenue, Ste. 1010, Washington, D.C. 20036, PTO Customer Number 000038108, power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

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