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AND WHEREAS Sirona Dental Systems GmbH, of Fabrikstrasse 31, 64625 Bensheim, Germany, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be obtained therefor;

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