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WHEREAS, NUVERA FUEL CELLS EUROPE S.r.l. a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Italy and having a place of business at Via Bistolfi, 35, I-20134 Milan, Italy is desirous to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention application and any Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that we, the said GIUSEPPE FAITA and ENRICO RAMUNNI for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1. 00) to us in hand paid by the said NUVERA FUEL CELLS EUROPE S.r.l. and for other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said NUVERA FUEL CELLS EUROPE S.r.l. its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon in the United States together with any division or divisions, extension or extensions, reissue or reissues thereof;

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands as of the following date:

*Giuseppe Faita*  
GIUSEPPE FAITA

Date: July 29, 2003

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ENRICO RAMUNNI

Date: July 29, 2003

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