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WHEREAS,

Jan Ove NILSSON

hereafter referred to as "applicant(s)", have invented certain new and useful improvements in

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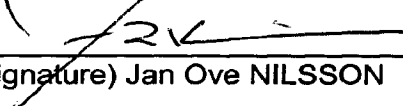
WHEREAS, **DeLaval Holding AB (a Swedish Body Corporate)**,

whose address is **Box 39, S-147 21 Tumba, Sweden**,

hereinafter referred to as "assignee(s)", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the same,

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