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FOR valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, **Fred S. Cannon**, a citizen of the **U.S.A.**, and a resident of **State College, PA, U.S.A.**, I, **Robert B. Parette**, a citizen of the **U.S.A.**, and a resident of **Furnace, PA, U.S.A.**, I, **Chongzheng Na**, a citizen of the **U.S.A.**, and a resident of **Ann Arbor, MI, U.S.A.**, I, **Weifang Chen**, a citizen of **China**, and a resident of **State college, PA, U.S.A.**, and I, **Benjamin Hagerup**, a citizen of the **U.S.A.**, and a resident of **Northumberland, PA, U.S.A.**, have invented certain new and useful improvements in

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hereby assigns to **The Penn State Research Foundation**, a **Not for Profit** organization, having its principal office **304 Old Main, University Park, Pennsylvania 16802** (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), of the entire right, title and interest in and to such invention, together with the patent rights and rights of protection to the same throughout the world, including the rights to claim priority, and including any patent rights which may result from the application for United States Letters Patent which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on **June 7, 2002**, and assigned U.S. Application Serial No. **10/164,843**, and any continuation, divisions, continuation-in-part applications, inventor's certificate and extensions thereof, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee for their own use and behoof and for the use and behoof of their successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent or other rights of protection may be granted as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had the assignment not been made.

AND WE COVENANT and AGREE and WARRANT that we have a full and unencumbered title to the invention hereby assigned, and we further covenant and

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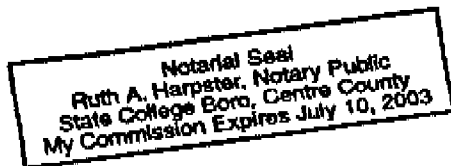
IN WITNESS WHEREFORE, we have hereunto set our hands and seal:

Date: 8/7/2002, 2002 Fred S. Cannon
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Sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 2002.

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By: **BENJAMIN HAGERUP**

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Sworn to before me this 22 day of July, 2002.

Susan A. Ostrowsky
Notary Public

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