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for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

METHOD AND APPARATUS TO CONTROL MODULAR ASYNCHRONOUS CONTACTORS

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