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for which application for Letters Patent of the United States was executed on even date herewith unless otherwise indicated below:

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[hereinafter referred to as the Assignee(s)], is/are desirous of securing the entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention, the application for United States Patent for this invention, and the Letters Patent to be issued upon this application;

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