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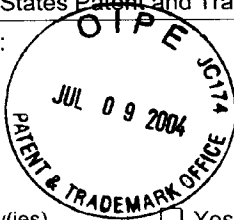
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**WHEREAS**, DPC Cirrus, Inc., having a principal place of business in Flanders, New Jersey, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring certain rights thereunder; and

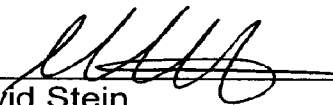
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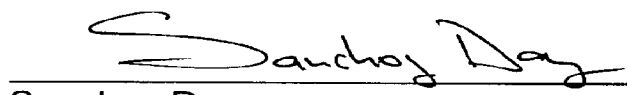
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