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WHEREAS, Steve TENGLER of 1380 Kensington Avenue, Grosse Pointe Park, MI and Takeshi MITAMURA of 5223 Whispering Oak, West Bloomfield MI; (hereinafter referred to singly and collectively as "ASSIGNOR") have invented a certain invention entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR COMMUNICATION BETWEEN VEHICLES TRAVELING ALONG A SIMILAR PATH (Atty. Dkt. No. 032915-0147) as set forth in this United States Patent Application

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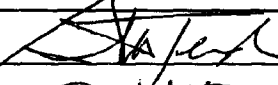
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