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Mr. Leif Petersen, a citizen of Denmark, residing at Ostertoften 49, St. Darum, DK-6740 Bramming, Demark referred to as the INVENTOR below; and

Norsk Hydro ASA, (NORSK HYDRO), a corporation of Norway having a place of business at N-0240, Oslo, Norway.

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