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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

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WHEREAS, Grant Andrew McNaughton-Smith of 143 Walton's Creek Road, Morrisville, NC 27560; George Salvatore Amato of 101 Ashley Drive, Cary, NC 27512; James Barnwell Thomas, Jr. of 3620 Rabbit Hill Lane, Efland, NC 27243 hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," are the inventors of the invention described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention:

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CHANNEL MODULATORS

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