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ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, I, **Christian M. Hansen**, residing at 4374 Elm Avenue, Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, 33410, a citizen of the United States of America, **Alfred P. Matheny**, residing at 6491 Fox Run Circle, Jupiter, Florida, 33458, a citizen of the United States of America, and **Brian Potter**, residing at 12837 Woodmill Drive, Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, 33418, a citizen of the United States of America, hereinafter referred to as Assignors, hereby sell, assign and transfer to **SIEMENS WESTINGHOUSE POWER CORPORATION**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 4400 Alafaya Trail, Orlando, Florida 32826, hereinafter referred to as Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, in and for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all inventions which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters patent, which has been executed by the undersigned concurrently herewith, and is entitled:

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Assignors agrees that Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said inventions in its own name;

Assignors agrees that, at the request of the Assignee and, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignee, Assignors will carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this Assignment; execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all said inventions; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to Assignee, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said inventions and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which Assignee shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and mainlining proper patent protection for said inventions and for vesting title to said inventions, and all applications for patents and all patents on inventions in said Assignee;

Assignors covenants with Assignee that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

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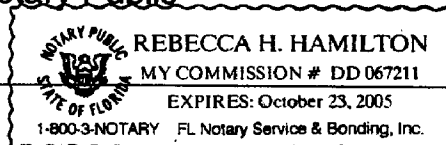
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On this 16th day of February, 2005, before me, the undersigned Notary Public, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared George Liang, to me personally known as, or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be, the individual who executed the foregoing instrument and who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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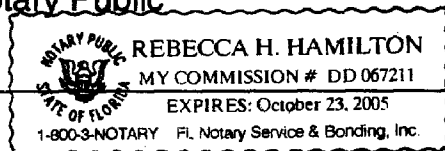
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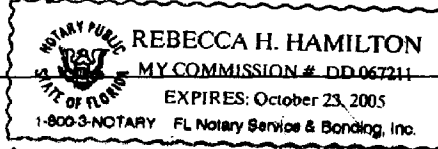
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