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WHEREAS, \_\_\_\_\_ a corporation duly organized under and pursuant to the laws of ITALY having its principal place of business at \_\_\_\_\_ Via Saliceto 13, I-40010 BENTIVOGLIO (BO), ITALY hereinafter referred to as the assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign, to be obtained therefor and thereon:

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AND said assignor(s) the undersigned hereby grant(s) the following individuals the power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent Office for recordation of this document:

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AND the said assignor(s) acknowledge an obligation of assignment of this invention to said assignee at the time the invention was made.

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