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AND WHEREAS **HYDROGENICS CORPORATION**, a corporation of, 5985 McLaughlin Road, Mississauga, Ontario, L5R 1B8, Canada, has acquired from us the whole right, title and interest for the United States of America and all other countries in and to the said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be obtained therefor, and in and to said application,

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, we, **ALI RUSTA-SALLEHY** and **MICHAEL VALE**, by these presents confirm that we have sold, assigned and transferred and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said **HYDROGENICS CORPORATION**, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States of America and all other countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, and the entire right, title and interest in and to said application, and in and to any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part and extensions of said application, together with the right to claim the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property based on said application for United States Letters Patent.

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