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for which I have made application for United States Letters Patent, the said application having been filed on June 30, 2005, as Application No. 11/171,702;

WHEREAS, Sonion Nederland B.V., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Denmark, having its principal place of business at Zekeringstraat 9, 1014BM Amsterdam, The Netherlands (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, and in and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

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