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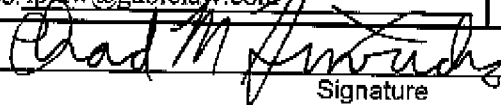
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(hereinafter referred to as the INVENTION) for which he has made or will make application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, ASSIGNOR is now the exclusive owner of said application and the INVENTION described and claimed therein, and all rights in, to and under the same; and

WHEREAS, V-TECH AS, a corporation created and existing under the laws of Norway, whose address is P.O. Box 22, N-4661 Kristiansand, Norway, (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforementioned application and INVENTION and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent of the United States and in any and all foreign countries thereof;

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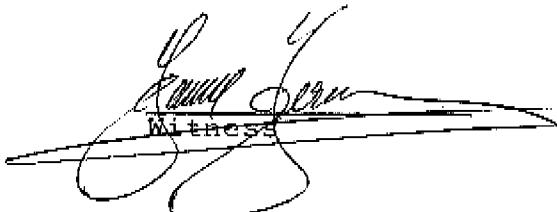
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