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WHEREAS, Jonathan W. Kimball, a citizen of United States of America, residing at 503 Mustang Drive, Mahomet, Illinois; Philip T. Krein, a citizen of United States of America, residing at 803 South Elm Boulevard, Champaign, Illinois; and Nicholas D. Benavides, a citizen of United States of America, residing at 1505 Westfield Drive, Champaign, Illinois referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented a certain invention entitled: "MODULAR SYSTEM FOR UNATTENDED ENERGY GENERATION AND STORAGE"; and

WHEREAS, SmartSpark Energy Systems, Inc., incorporated in the State of Illinois, with a principal place of business at 60 East Hazelwood Drive, Champaign, Illinois 61820, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor on said applications or any non-provisional, continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNORS also assign all of its right, title and interest in and to said invention in all foreign countries, and all applications for Letters Patent which may evolve therefrom, including the right to claim International Convention priority.

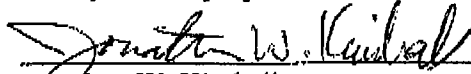
ASSIGNORS hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

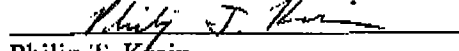
ASSIGNORS further covenant that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said applications, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNORS, and ASSIGNORS will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for obtain, maintain and enforce said applications, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.


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