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**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION**

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

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Fired, fire-resistant ceramic product  
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and which is found in (37 C.F.R. § 3.21) U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith,

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