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☒ Assignment ☐ Merger

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5) SEPTEMBER 30, 2007 11) SEPTEMBER 30, 2007
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2. Name and address of receiving party:

Name: SEARETE LLC

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 1756 - 114TH AVE. S.E., # 110City: BELLEVUEState WAZip: 98004Additional names & addresses attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application,
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A. Patent Application No(s).

11/897,974

B. Patent No(s).

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: SEARETE LLCInternal Address: CLARENCE T. TEGREENEStreet Address: 1756 - 114th Ave. S.E., # 110City: Bellevue State: WA ZIP: 98004

6. Total number of applications and patents involved.....

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7. Total Fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40

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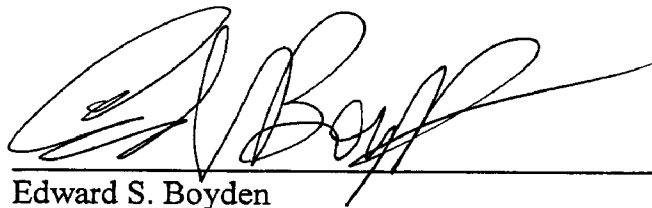
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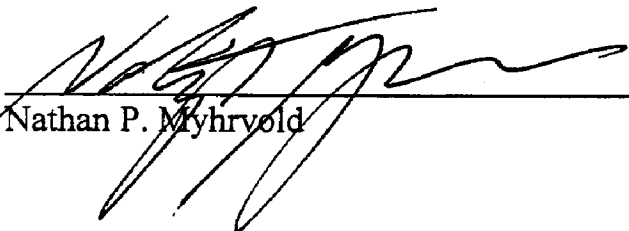
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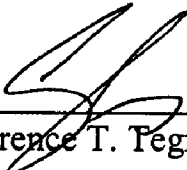
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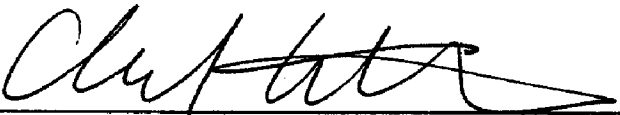
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