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• an application for Letters Patent, the application titled "Programmable Logic Controller System Module", and filed on 9/25/2007 as Application Serial Number 29/292,016 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;

• all improvements to any subject matter described or claimed in any of the above;

together with: all amendments thereto; all rights of priority arising therefrom; all applications claiming priority thereto; all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexaminations, reissues, substitutes, renewals, and extensions thereof, and any legal equivalent thereof; and any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent and legal equivalents thereof, which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions or in any countries foreign to the United States, for the full and entire term or terms for which the same may be granted or extended, as fully and entirely as the same rights, privileges, title, and interest, would have been enjoyed by the undersigned if this assignment had not been made.

Each of the undersigned authorizes ASSIGNEE to make application for patent protection and legal equivalents thereof in its own name and maintain such protection in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or legal equivalents thereof for said improvements, without further authorization from any of the undersigned, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

Each of the undersigned authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents or legal equivalents thereof, to issue said Letters Patent and legal equivalents thereof to ASSIGNEE or to such nominees as ASSIGNEE may designate.

Each of the undersigned consents that a copy of this Assignment and Agreement shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document that may be required in any country in proof of the right of ASSIGNEE to apply for patent and legal equivalents thereof for said improvements and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

Each of the undersigned covenants with ASSIGNEE that no assignment, sale, grant, mortgage, license, or other agreement affecting any of the rights, privileges, title, or interest herein conveyed has been made to others or will be entered into by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

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Each of the undersigned covenants with ASSIGNEE that, when requested, and without charge to but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will: properly receive, execute, and deliver to ASSIGNEE all rightful affidavits, declarations, oaths, powers of attorney, assignments, and other instruments or papers; properly receive, execute, and deliver to ASSIGNEE all applications, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexaminations, reissues, substitutes, renewals, extensions, any amendments thereof, and any legal equivalent thereof, and all interference proceedings associated therewith, relating to any and all said improvements, applications, Letters Patent, and legal equivalents thereof; communicate to ASSIGNEE all facts and documents known and accessible to the undersigned relating to said improvements, applications, Letters Patent, and legal equivalents thereof, and will testify as to the same in any interference, mediation, arbitration, litigation, or dispute related thereto; and generally, perform all requested lawful acts that ASSIGNEE considers desirable or necessary, in any country, in applying for, securing, maintaining, licensing, assigning, or enforcing, any proper, valid, and enforceable legal protection for said improvements, applications, Letters Patent, and legal equivalents thereof, or for vesting title in ASSIGNEE to said improvements, applications, Letters Patent, and legal equivalents thereof.

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