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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

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**Dylan Hushka
Jeffrey R. Townsend**

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- (a) ☒ U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith.
- (b) ☐ U.S. patent application executed on _____.
- (c) ☐ U.S. application Serial No. _____ filed on _____.
- (d) ☒ U.S. provisional application No. 60/995,873
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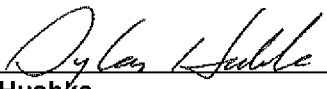
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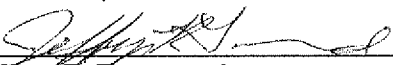
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Dylan Hushka

09/17/08

Date



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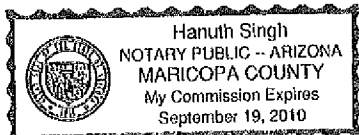
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Before me this 17th day of SEPTEMBER 2008,

personally appeared **Dylan Hushka** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



AFFIX SEAL

Hanuth Singh
Notary Public

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) ss
County of Boulder)

Before me this 24 day of September 2008,

personally appeared **Jeffrey R. Townsend** to me personally known to be the person described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



AFFIX SEAL

My Commission Expires 02/28/2011

Mary Jo Milasek
Notary Public