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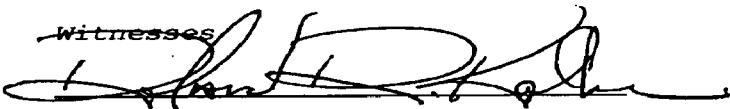
WHEREAS, EDWARD D. HILDRETH, JR. of CLARKSVILLE, in the County of MONTGOMERY and the State of TENNESSEE has invented certain new and useful improvements in **FIXED AND VARIABLE REFRIGERANT METERING SYSTEM** for which he has made application for Letters Patent of the United States of America;

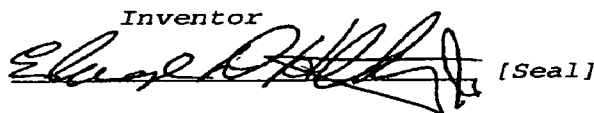
AND WHEREAS, Trane International Inc., a corporation of Delaware having a principal place of business in the city of New York, County of New York and State of New York, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor from the United States;

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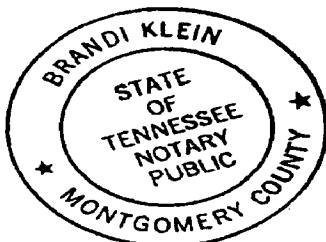
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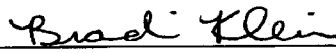
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