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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, of which we acknowledge receipt, we,

David Andrew Helmick	of	402 Opie Tree Court, Fountain Inn, SC 29644
Thomas Edward Johnson	of	337 Ascot Ridge Lane, Greer, SC 29650
William David York	of	504 Rosebud Lane, Greer, SC 29650
Benjamin Paul Lacy	of	1 Treyburn Court, Greer, SC 29650

hereby sell and assign to **General Electric Company, a New York Corporation**, (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), having an address at 1 River Road, Schenectady, NY 12345 USA, its successors and assigns our entire respective rights, titles and interests in and to the invention and improvements invented and originated by me/us and described in the non-provisional application for United States Patent currently entitled:

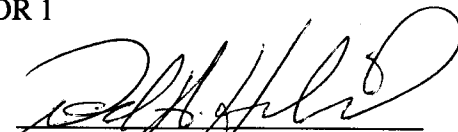
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and any and all applications for patent and patents therefrom in any and all countries, including all divisions, continuations, reexaminations and reissues thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said inventions and improvements resulting therefrom to said Assignee, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said Assignee, I/we will communicate to said Assignee or its representatives or nominees any facts known to me/us respecting said inventions and improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, reexamination and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention and its improvements in all countries.

INVENTOR 1

Signature: 
David Andrew Helmick

Date: 6/25/09

Witnessed by: 
Signature

Date: 25 June 2009

Matthew Renninger
Printed Name of Witness

Witnessed by: 
Signature

Date: 6/25/09

Anders Wood
Printed Name of Witness

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NOTARY

David Andrew Helmick

Date: _____

STATE OF

ss.

COUNTY OF

This _____ day of _____, _____ before me personally came the above-named David Andrew Helmick, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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(Notary Public)

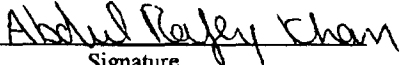
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INVENTOR 2

Signature:  Date: 7/1/2009
Thomas Edward Johnson

Witnessed by:  Date: 7/1/2009
Signature

Michael J Hynes
Printed Name of Witness

Witnessed by:  Date: 7/1/2009
Signature

ABDUL RAFFEY KHAN
Printed Name of Witness

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Thomas Edward Johnson

Date: _____

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This _____ day of _____, _____ before me personally came the above-named Thomas Edward Johnson, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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INVENTOR 3

Signature: W.D.Y.
William David YorkDate: 7/1/2009Witnessed by: M. J. H.
SignatureDate: 7/1/2009Michael J. Hyles
Printed Name of WitnessWitnessed by: Abdul Rafeeq Khan
SignatureDate: 7/1/2009ABDUL RAFEeq KHAN
Printed Name of Witness

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William David York

Date: _____

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This _____ day of _____, _____ before me personally came the above-named William David York, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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INVENTOR 4

Signature: 
Benjamin Paul LacyDate: 7/1/09Witnessed by: 
SignatureDate: 7/1/09Luke J. Ammann
Printed Name of WitnessWitnessed by: 
SignatureDate: 7/1/09Felipe Román-Morales
Printed Name of Witness

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Benjamin Paul Lacy

Date: _____

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This _____ day of _____, _____ before me personally came the above-named Benjamin Paul Lacy, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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