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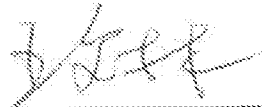
I/WE, Wenlin Wang, Guoliang Zhang and Jingyang Xu ("ASSIGNOR"), have invented subject matter ("INVENTION") disclosed and/or claimed in a patent application entitled, HIDDEN MARKOV MODEL BASED TEXT TO SPEECH SYSTEMS EMPLOYING ROPE-JUMPING ALGORITHM ("APPLICATION"), which:

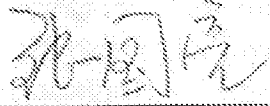
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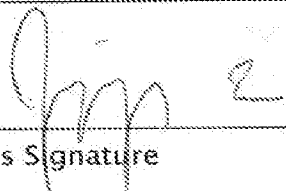
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