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Proprietor of all patents / patent applications mentioned on the enclosed list hereby assigns all these patents /patent applications with respect to all designated countries/regions with all rights and duties to:

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