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Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns, sells and transfers unto said Assignee all of the above-indicated rights, title and interest in and to the above-identified Invention, including the application(s) as identified above and any and all divisionals, continuations, and continuations-in-part thereof; in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States, and of other countries if World Rights are indicated above, which may be granted or have been granted for said Invention; in and to any and all extensions, reissues and reexaminations thereof; in and to any and all corresponding international (PCT) applications; and in and to any and all priority rights, convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to Assignor with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States, and in other countries if World Rights are indicated above; all of the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns, heirs and legal representatives, to the end of the term or terms for which any individual patent on the Invention may be granted or reissued as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this assignment and sale had not been made.

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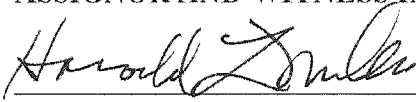
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