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I, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have assigned and do hereby assign, which confirms any previous assignment by me or by operation of law, to Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having its principal place of business at 702 Southwest 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Bentonville, AR 72716, United States of America ("Assignee"), its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire right, title, and interest, in and to all subject matter and improvements invented, made, or conceived by me and described in the application for patent entitled

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