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For good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,

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a ⊠ United States National Application under 35 U.S.C. 111 *et seq.* and/or
a □ PCT International Application, identified by Application No. \_\_\_\_\_\_, and filed on \_\_\_\_\_\_, entitled;

NETWORK MANAGEMENT VIA A SECONDARY COMMUNICATION CHANNEL IN A SOFTWARE DEFINED NETWORK

(hereinafter "the Application(s)")

Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories, Inc., 2350 NE Hopkins Court, Pullman, WA 99163 is authorized to insert in parentheses (Application number \_\_\_\_\_\_, filed\_\_\_\_\_\_), the filing date and application number of said application when known.

The undersigned hereby sell(s), assign(s), and set(s) over to <u>Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories</u>. Inc., a corporation of <u>Washington</u> (hereinafter designated as the Assignee) their entire right, title and interest in, to and under the Application(s) throughout the world, including all priority rights for the United States and other countries arising therefrom, all inventions therein disclosed, all divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of the Application, or reissues or extensions claiming priority to the Application, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of all other countries, which may be granted for such inventions, or any of them, all such inventions and all rights in such Application(s) and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and enjoyment to the full end of the term or terms for which such Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by them had this assignment and sale not been made.

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