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hereinafter ASSIGNOR(S), herewith declare that I am/we are the sole inventor(s)

of the invention entitled:

**A method for detecting and reporting an operation error in an in-vitro diagnostic system, a
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system**

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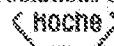
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