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**DECLARATION AND ASSIGNMENT  
FOR US UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION**

**As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:**  
this declaration is directed to the application entitled:

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(Title)

(check only one item) [ ] attached hereto, OR [X] filed on (YYYY-MM-DD) 2021-09-30 as United States Application No. or PCT International Application No. 29/809,939, having Attorney Docket No. BUGB-65128.

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me. I believe I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the above-identified application. I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

WHEREAS, new and useful improvements and inventions have been made by the undersigned as described in the above-identified application;

WHEREAS, MANITOU ITALIA S.R.L., having an address at VIA CRISTOFORO COLOMBO, 2, LOCALITA' CAVAZZONA, 41013 CASTELFRANCO EMILIA (MODENA), ITALY, hereinafter referred to as "assignee", is desirous of acquiring all right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to, and under said improvements and inventions and patent rights therefor.

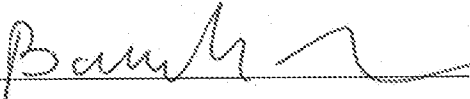
NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that, for valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, all right, title, and interest, in the United States and throughout the world, in, to and under said improvements and inventions and all patents, patent applications, patent rights, and inventors' certificates thereof, therefor, and therein; including without limitation said application for patent in the United States, all divisions and continuations thereof, all patents which may be granted thereon, all reissues and extensions thereof, all right to sue for past infringement thereunder, all patents which may be granted for said improvements and inventions by states or nations other than the United States, or by other authority, entity, or organization, all applications therefor, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said applications, have been and are hereby sold, assigned, transferred, and delivered unto assignee, its successors and assigns by the undersigned; and it is covenanted and agreed by the undersigned, and for executors, administrators, and legal representatives of the undersigned, that at assignee's request any and all applications, affidavits, assignments, and other instruments will be made, executed, and delivered as may be necessary, or desirable to secure for or vest in assignee, its successors or assigns, any improvement, inventions, right, title, interest, application, patent, patent right or other right or property covered by this assignment, and the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office is hereby requested and authorized to issue any and all United States patents granted on any of said applications to assignee as owner of the entire right, title, and interest in, to, and under the same, and appropriately empowered officials of foreign countries and other entities are hereby authorized to issue any letters patent granted on any of said applications to assignee as owner of the entire right, title and interest in, to, and under the same.


FORM 1a

For applications filed under AIA (on or after September 16, 2012)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this declaration and assignment has been executed below by the undersigned:

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(Print Name)

Signature of Inventor:  Date: 1<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2021

  
Witness Signature  
Witness Name: CHIARA NATALONI