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**DECLARATION AND ASSIGNMENT
FOR U.S. UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION**

Attorney Docket No.: 18801-01286

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 below)

☐ attached hereto,

OR

☒ For which U.S. Application No. 16/338,892 filed April 2, 2019, which is a national phase filing of International Application No. PCT/US2017/055080 filed October 4, 2017, which claims benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 62/403,758 filed October 4, 2016; and any subsequent applications filed in connection with the above invention (the "Patent").

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

I believe that 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, HORIZON GLOBAL AMERICAS INC., having a place of business at 47912 Halyard Drive, Suite 100, Plymouth, Michigan 48170, hereinafter referred to as "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patent;

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 the Patent, 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

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THIS DECLARATION AND ASSIGNMENT, has been executed below by the undersigned:

Legal Name of Inventor: **Owen W. Draper**

Signature of Inventor: _____

Date: 3-2-22_____

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