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## Designation of Inventors

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File N°:

Applicant:

Place of Applicant:

	Inventor 1	Inventor 2	Inventor 3 <sup>(1)</sup>
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First name			
Private address			
E-mail			
Nationality			
Acquisition of rights to the patent by the applicant <sup>1</sup>	<input type="checkbox"/> the inventor is employed by the applicant and the invention has been made during the course of his/her activity while in the service of the applicant and according to his/her contractual obligations.  <input type="checkbox"/> the inventor has assigned his/her rights to the applicant by an agreement dated :  <input type="checkbox"/> the inventor is the applicant.	<input type="checkbox"/> the inventor is employed by the applicant and the invention has been made during the course of his/her activity while in the service of the applicant and according to his/her contractual obligations.  <input type="checkbox"/> the inventor has assigned his/her rights to the applicant by an agreement dated :  <input type="checkbox"/> the inventor is the applicant.	<input type="checkbox"/> the inventor is employed by the applicant and the invention has been made during the course of his/her activity while in the service of the applicant and according to his/her contractual obligations.  <input type="checkbox"/> the inventor has assigned his/her rights to the applicant by an agreement dated :  <input type="checkbox"/> the inventor is the applicant.

<sup>1</sup> For a greater number of inventors, please use an additional form.

### Observations :

- > All the inventors and only the inventors having contributed to the invention must be named. The omission of one or several inventors can result in serious legal consequences, including the risk of the patent being declared null.
- > Only the inventors who have actually participated in the invention claimed in the patent application should be named; anyone who has only supervised a development without actively contributing thereto or an operative who has acted according to the inventive concepts of another without active contribution, is not considered an inventor.
- > Only natural persons can be named as inventors.
- > The inventors can waive the right to be named.
- > The order in which the names are listed has no influence on the conferred rights; the name of the first inventor may however appear more visibly on certain publications.
- > The rights conferred by the patent belong to the applicant and not to the inventors unless the inventor is the applicant.
- > In the case of an invention made by an employee in the course of his/her activity in the service of the employer and according to his/her contractual obligations, the assignment is generally effective on the basis of the employment contract governed by Swiss law. In any other situations, an assignment agreement of the rights to the patent must be signed by each inventor before the filing.
- > Other signatures from the inventors might be required after filing. The inventor(s) agree to provide all required documents and signatures to the applicant upon request.

The undersigned applicant and the undersigned inventor(s) confirm the accuracy of the above information. Specifically, the applicant confirms having no knowledge of any other inventor having participated in the invention. Moreover, the applicant commits to communicate without delay any change of address of the above-mentioned inventors.

### Signatures :

#### **Applicant**

Place and Date

First Name – Name

Signature

#### **Inventor 1**

Place and Date

First Name – Name

Signature

#### **Inventor 2**

Place and Date

First Name – Name

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#### **Inventor 3**

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