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**MS Ex Parte Reexam**

Attn: Central Reexamination Unit  
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following items for filing in connection with the above-referenced  
*Ex Parte* Reexamination Application:

1. Certificate of Service;
2. Fee Transmittal for FY 2009;
3. Amendment Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
4. Amendment in Response to Non-Final Office Action in *Ex Parte* Reexamination;
5. Declaration of John C. Mitchell, Ph.D. Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 and M.P.E.P. § 2258 (Curriculum Vitae of John Clifford Mitchell, dated October 2, 2010, attached as Exhibit 1);
6. Form PTO/SB08a/b (7 pages);

7. Eight (8) redwelds containing Four (4) U.S. patents; and One Hundred Seventeen (117) non-patent literature documents; and
8. Return receipt postcard.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0740 in the amount of \$2,540.00 to cover the following fees: fifteen (15) excess total claims (\$780); and eight (8) excess independent claims (\$1,760). The Director is also authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740, under Docket No. 032468.0004-US01. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned, and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740.

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