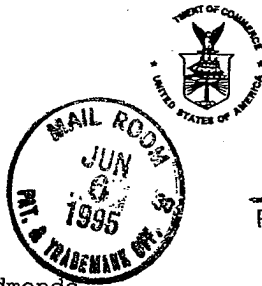


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: DECISION ON PETITION UNDER
: 37 CFR 1.48(a)
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This is a decision on a November 19, 1992 petition under 37 CFR 1.48(a), requesting correction of the inventorship and on the paper of September 29, 1993 filed in support thereof, which timely responds to a July 30, 1993 Requirement for Information.

The Requirement for Information required clarification regarding the existence of an assignee, which was submitted on September 29, 1993.

Based on the file record as a whole and the facts as set forth in the Requirement for Information and in the statements now of record, the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent and was diligently corrected.

The §1.48(a) petition to correct inventorship is Granted.

The application is being returned to the Special Processing and Correspondence Branch of Application Processing Division for further processing, including issuance of a filing receipt, with the names of the inventors as shown on the executed declaration under 37 CFR 1.63 filed on November 19, 1992.

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