**SOFTWARE DISCLOSURE FORM**

**DESCRIPTIVE TITLE OF THE SOFTWARE**

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OWNERSHIP

Creator:

1. Creator's Present Employer:
   (If unemployed, skip to question 6 below)

2. Do your job responsibilities for the above employer include conducting research or inventing? Yes No
   (If no, skip to question 6 below)

3. Is this field of the Software within the scope of the field of technology you are paid to conduct? Yes No
   (If no, skip to question 6 below)

4. Has your employer been informed of the Software? Yes No
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5. Does the employer claim ownership of the Software? Yes No

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   IMPORTANT DATES

   Software First
   Conceived: ____________________________  ____________________________

   First Written
   Description: ____________________________  First Coding or
   Prototype: ____________________________

   First Test or
   Operation: ____________________________  First Public
   Disclosure: ____________________________
## DISCLOSURES OF THE SOFTWARE

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SUMMARY OF THE SOFTWARE

Briefly describe the field(s) of technology to which the Software relates:

What shortcomings or problems of the field(s) of technology are solved or addressed by the Software?

Describe the Software briefly in lay terms:
Describe the Software in detail, attaching additional pages of description or drawings hereto, if necessary:
Describe how the Software differs from the present technology:

Describe the disadvantages, limitations or shortcomings of the Software:

Describe how the disadvantages, limitations or shortcomings described above may be overcome:

Indicate which you consider the Software to be (check only one):
An entirely new concept
An improvement to existing technology

A major technical breakthrough
A new application of existing technology

Please explain your selection above:

Describe any tests or developments that must be performed before the Software is ready for commercialization:

Describe if and when you intend to undertake such further tests or development:

List any publications, patents or patent applications, whether or not yours, which are closely related to the
Please attach copies of such publications and/or patents hereto.

Identify any potential entities that should be considered as a candidate for commercialization of the Software, and how such entities might be involved in commercialization of the Software:

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Creators' Signatures:

__________________________  __________________________  __________________________
Signature                      Signature                        Signature

__________________________  __________________________  __________________________
Printed Name                   Printed Name                     Printed Name

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Date                          Date                                    Date

The undersigned witnesses have read and understand the above described Software Disclosure:

__________________________  __________________________
Witness                        Date

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STATE OF INDIANA  )
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COUNTY OF  )

Sworn to and subscribed before me, a Notary Public of the State of _________, County of
______________________, this ____ day of _____________, 19____.

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Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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NOTE: Notarization is recommended but not required.