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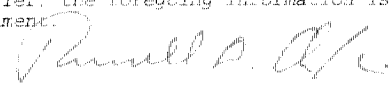
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Whereas we, OUD, Martinus Adrianus residing at No. 6, Oesterzwam, NL-2925 DK KRIMPEN A/D IJSSEL, The Netherlands; GODIJN, Paul Willem residing at No. 8, Spaarne, NL-1273 WB HUIZEN, The Netherlands; WELLING, Antonius Johannes residing at No. 56, Schepenen, NL-1412 DG NAARDEN, The Netherlands; and VELTHUIZEN, Willem residing at No. 225, Rijksstraatweg, NL-3956 CN LEERSUM, The Netherlands have invented a certain improvement in and relating to a solder sleeve and a method for the forming thereof and for which we have made application for U.S. Letters Patent, the said application being filed on June 3, 1998 under serial No. 09/077,680, and whereas Witmetaal B.V. a company organised under the Laws of The Netherlands, doing business and having their post office address at No. 21, Energiestraat, NL-1411 AR NAARDEN, The Netherlands are desirous of acquiring an interest therein:

Now, therefore, in consideration of one dollar, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we OUD, Martinus Adrianus, GODIJN, Paul Willem, WELLING, Antonius Johannes, and VELTHUIZEN, Willem by these present, do sell, assign and transfer unto the said Witmetaal B.V. the full and exclusive right for the territory of the United States of America, and not elsewhere, in and to the said invention as described in said application preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefore, said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said Witmetaal B.V. for their own use and behalf and for their legal representatives to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me us had this assignment and sale not been made.

Executed this 12th day of June 1998

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