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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT

WHEREAS, the inventors identified below; (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), have invented a certain invention entitled: <u>Apparatus for Cutting Tubes</u>, for which application for Letters Patent of the United States (1) was executed on ______, or (2) was filed on <u>January 21, 1997</u>, and received US Serial number 08/787,533, and

WHEREAS, <u>Adolf Brodbeck Maschinenbau GmbH & C.</u>, having its principal office at <u>Rebenstrasse 11, D-72555 Metzingen</u>, <u>Germany</u>, (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE) is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in the United States in, to and under said invention, said application and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor,

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign, and transfer and confirm the sale, assignment and transfer to ASSIGNEE of the full and exclusive right, title and interest in the United States to said invention, said application, and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained on said application, and any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

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ASSIGNORS further covenant that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention, said application, said Letters Patent and legal equivalents thereof, as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNORS and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and

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all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said invention, said application, said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof, which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set hand and seal on the date set forth below.

<u>First</u> Inventor's Signature Date

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