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have invented certain new and useful improvements in

DRILLING TOOL FOR MACHINE TOOLS AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME

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WHEREAS, Komet Praezisionswerkzeuge Robert Breuning GmbH

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