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**ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT**

WHEREAS: **Markus HENNEKEN, Betznauer Straße 12, D-88079 Kressbronn, DE**  
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Title of Invention (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR). have invented and own a certain invention entitled: **PROCESS TO EVALUATE START-UP FOR AN AUTOMATIC GEARBOX**

for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been executed on even date herewith

AND WHEREAS: **ZF FRIEDRICHSHAFEN AG** **Robert Bosch GmbH**  
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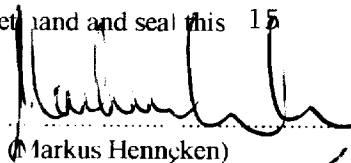
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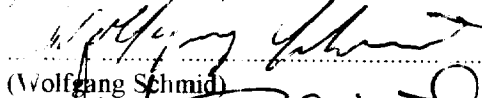
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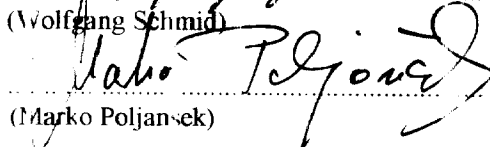
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