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WHEREAS, we, Raffaele Becherucci and Gianfranco Stratico, respectively residing at Via San Zanobi 7, 50018, Scandici, Florence, Italy, and Via A Lombardi 32, Siena, Italy, have made an invention in an:

## ARMATURE WINDER

and have made application for United States Letters Patent therefor, the same having been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 12, 1999 as United States Patent Application No. 09/248,931, and having been executed by us on even date or dates herewith; and

WHEREAS, AXIS USA, INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware and having an office and place of business at 14120 McCormick Drive, Tampa, Florida 33626, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in said invention, said United States patent application and in any Letters Patent which may be issued thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to each of us paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said AXIS USA, INC., its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all right, title and interest in and to said invention and any improvements thereon for all countries of the world, and in and to said United States patent application, including any continuations and divisions thereof, and any substitute applications therefor, and any patents which may issue


thereon, and any reissues and extensions of the same, and including the right to claim priority under the International Convention based on said patent application; and all right, title and interest in and to every patent application filed or to be filed on said invention in any other country, including renewals, revivals, continuations and divisions thereof, and any substitute applications therefor, and any and all patents which may issue thereon, and any reissues and extensions of the same; and we hereby authorize and request competent authorities to grant and issue any and all patents on said invention to the said AXIS USA, INC., as the assignee of the entire interest therein; and we further agree to execute upon request of the assignee such additional documents, if any, as are necessary and proper to secure patent protection on said invention throughout all countries of the world, and to otherwise give full effect to and perfect the rights of the assignee under this Assignment.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto signed our names and affixed our seals on the date indicated hereinafter.

16 March 1999  
Date

  
Raffaele Becherucci

15 March 99  
Date

  
Gianfranco Stratico