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In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, We the undersigned, **Armin WEICHMANN, Alfons SCHUSTER, Michael MÜLLER, Thomas HARTMANN, Dirk PROBIAN** (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR"):

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to **MAN Roland Druckmaschinen AG** (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation of Germany, having a place of business at Christian-Pless-Straße 6-30, D-63012 Offenbach am Main, Germany, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which has been executed by the undersigned concurrently herewith, and which is entitled

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