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THIS ASSIGNMENT, by Dropler HB, (hereinafter referred to as the "Assignor"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Sweden, whose post office address is S-252 33 Helsingborg, Sweden; and

WHEREAS, the Assignor is the record owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to United States Letters Patent, and the invention set forth therein, as listed in the attached Appendix "A", (hereinafter referred to as the "Patent"); and

SANDVIK AB (hereinafter referred to as the "Assignee"), a corporation organized under the laws of Sweden, whose post office address is S-811 81 Sandviken, Sweden, is desirous of acquiring and confirming the Assignment of the entire, right, title and interest in, to and under the Patent and the invention disclosed therein; and

NOW, THEREFORE, to all it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of one Dollar (\$ 1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over and does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, to the Assignee, the said Patent and any reissues or re-examinations of said Patent already granted and which may be granted, as a result thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee, for its own use and behoof and for the use and behoof of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the end of the term, or terms, of the Patent, reissues, or re-examinations as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor, had this Assignment and sale not been made.

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APPENDIX "A"

Patent No. 4.978.069

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