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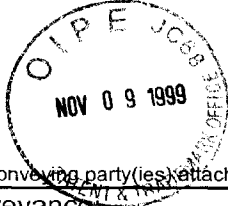
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Whereas, We, NORBERT FISCHER of Osterkampsweg 18, 31319 Sehnde, Federal Republic of Germany, and ROLAND ALTSINGER of Barnackersweg 10c, 31303 Burgdorf, Federal Republic of Germany, have invented certain new and useful improvements in Air Spring Arrangement having a Device for Making Ultrasonic Distance Measurements therein for which application for United States Letters Patent has been executed on even date herewith, (said application having Attorney Docket No. 98-085); and,

Whereas, CONTITECH LUFTFEDERSYSTEME GMBH, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany, having its principal office at Vahrenwalder Strasse 9, 30165 Hannover, Federal Republic of Germany (hereinafter referred to as CONTITECH), is desirous of obtaining Letters Patent for said invention in the United States;

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