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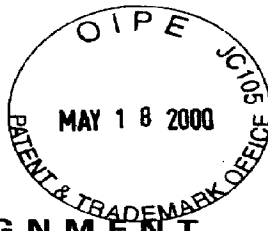
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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, KRONE GmbH, former KRONE Aktiengesellschaft a German corporation, having a principal place of business at: Beeskowdamm 3-11, D-14167 Berlin, GERMANY is the owner by assignment of the U.S. patent and U.S. patent application

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WHEREAS, Q-cell GmbH, a German corporation, having a principal place of business at: Carl-Zeiß-Straße 1, D-07739 Jena, GERMANY (hereinafter referred to as the assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in said patent, patent application and in the inventions thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$ 1.00) and of other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged by the undersigned, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, does hereby sell, assign and transfer to the assignee and assignees legal representatives the entire right, title and interest, for the United States its territories and possessions, and for all foreign countries, in said patent, the inventions to which they relate and in all Letters Patent issuing thereon including all reissues thereof, issuing for said inventions.

It is agreed that the undersigned shall be legally bound, upon request of the assignee, to supply all information and evidence relating to the making and practice of said invention, to testify in any legal proceeding relating thereto, to execute all instruments proper to patent the invention in the United States and foreign countries in the name of the assignee, and to execute all instruments proper to carry out the intent of this assignment.

The rights and property herein conveyed by the undersigned are free and clear of any encumbrance.

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