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WHEREAS, Ernst ZIMMER, a citizen of Germany, located (residing) at: Holbeinstrasse 3, D-86356 Neusäss, Germany, has invented certain new and useful improvements in an invention entitled: *HEMMING APPARATUS WITH PRESSING AND CLAMPING ELEMENTS* and corresponding to 298 01 147.6, and PCT/EP99/00402 for which he/she is about to make/ has made application for Letters Patent of the United States of America;

AND, WHEREAS, KUKA SCHWEISSANLAGEN GMBH, located and doing business at: Blücherstrasse 144, D-86165 Augsburg, Germany (hereinafter referred to as Assignee) is desirous of acquiring an interest herein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor from the United States;

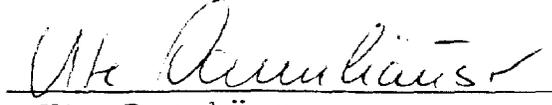
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 11 day of July, 2000.

Ernst ZIMMER

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