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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Attorney
Reference: TERPO 4139.01

BOX ASSIGNMENT

REQUEST FOR RECORDING AND COVER SHEET UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.28 AND 3.31

Please record the attached original document(s) or copy(ies) thereof.

1. Name of party conveying the interest:

Lothar BEYER

2. Name and address of party receiving the interest:

Ellenberger & Poensgen GmbH
Industriestrasse 2-8, D-90518 Altdorf, Germany

3. Description of the interest conveyed or transaction to be recorded:

Assignment Other:

4. Application Number: To be Assigned 09/223,192

Patent Number:

Registration Number:

Document filed together with a patent application executed on
December 17, 1998

5. Address correspondence concerning this request to: SPENCER & FRANK
Suite 300 East, 1100 New York Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005-3955

6. Number of Applications, Patents or Registrations and total fee:

Patents: 1 patent rights @ \$40 Total: \$40.00

If no fee is attached, or if a greater or lesser fee is required, please
charge or credit our Account No. 19-3700.

7. Date of execution of document: December 17, 1998

8. If document is an assignment of a trademark right to an assignee who
is not domiciled in the United States, such assignee has designated a
domestic representative

per attached designation other:

9. To the best of knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the foregoing
information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of
the original document.

10. Date: December 30, 1998

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Name: Gabor J. Kelemen

Registration Number: 21,016

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ASSIGNMENT
OF APPLICATION FOR UNITED STATES LETTERS PATENT

Attorney Docket
TERPO 4139.01

WHEREAS Lothar BEYER of Neumarkt, Germany hereinafter (collectively) referred to as the assignor, has invented a certain improvement relating to POWER SUPPLY DEVICE for which said assignor has caused an application for United States Letters Patent to be prepared,

[X] the inventor's declaration for said application being executed concurrently with the execution of this instrument; said application to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office;

[] said application having been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on _____, Serial Number [if known] _____;

[] said application having been filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty on _____, Serial No. _____, the United States of America being designated.

AND WHEREAS Ellenberger & Poensgen GmbH
Industriestrasse 2-8
D-90518 Altdorf, Germany

hereinafter referred to as the assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and in and to said invention and any and all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof;

NOW THIS WITNESSETH, that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration paid by said assignee to said assignor, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said assignor hereby assigns, sells and transfers to said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and in and to said invention and any and all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof; said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, to have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and the said invention and any and all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, with all the rights, powers, privileges and advantages in anywise arising from or appertaining thereto, for and during the term or terms of any and all such patents when granted, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, for the use and benefit of said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, in as ample and beneficial a manner as the said assignor might or could have held and enjoyed the same, if this assignment had not been made.

AND said assignor hereby agrees to perform, upon the request of said assignee, or said assignee's successors or assigns, any and all acts relating to the obtaining or to the asserting of said patents, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof.

AND said assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue Letters Patent on said application, and on any and all divisions and continuations thereof, to said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, in accordance herewith.

EXECUTED, this 17 day of DECEMBER, 1998.

WITNESSES:

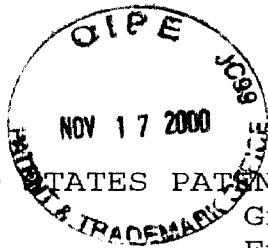
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group 2841

Examiner: Mr. David Foster

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicant : Lothar Beyer)
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 Application No.: 09/223,192) REQUEST FOR
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 Filed : December 30, 1998) RECORDATION
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 For : POWER SUPPLY DEVICE) OF ASSIGNMENT
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 Attorney Docket: 32325-145858)
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 Allowed : October 2, 2000)
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November 17, 2000

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: Assignment Division

Sir:

It has come to our attention that the assignment, which was submitted at the time we filed declaration on December 30, 1998, has been lost or may simply have been retained in the file of the application without having been sent to the Assignment Branch.

Submitted herewith are copies of the originally filed assignment and the cover sheet, as well as the postcard receipt bearing a PTO Mail Room date stamp of December 30, 1998, with the request that the assignment be recorded as of the date it was actually submitted. The assignment recording fee of \$40.00 was submitted with the filing fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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Applicant(s) : Lothar BEYER
Application No.: To be Assigned
Filed : December 30, 1998
Attorney Docket: TERPO 4139.01
Papers filed : 1. New US Patent Application including Specification, Claims, Abstract of the Disclosure, 3 Sheets Formal Drawings (Figs. 1 - 8), Declaration, Power of Attorney, Assignment with Cover Sheet, and two certified copies of German Appl. Nos. 19804833.5 filed January 29, 1998 and 19806081.5 filed February 14, 1998 .
2. 1 copy of transmittal letter.

Filing Fee: \$ 760.00
Recordation Fee: \$ 40.
Total Costs: \$ 800.00

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