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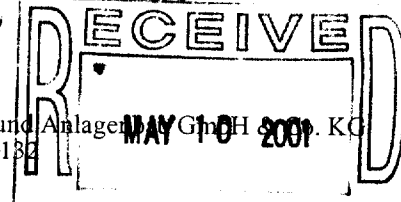
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3. residing at and a citizen of ;

Date Patent Declaration
Signed and Title Serial
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(herein called "THE UNDERSIGNED") have made an invention and have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on January 26, 2001 for this invention, which application is entitled INSTALLATION AND METHOD FOR MULTILAYERED IMMERSION COATING and which has been given Serial Number 09/744,623 and the filing date of 03/21/2001;

Name of Corporation

AND WHEREAS Walter Hillebrand GmbH & Co. KG and Nütro Maschinen- und Anlagenbau GmbH & Co. KG (herein called "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized under the laws of Germany, and respectively having an office and place of business at Westerhaar 56-58, D-58739 Wickede, Germany and Schnieglinger Strasse 132, D-90425 Nurnberg, Germany

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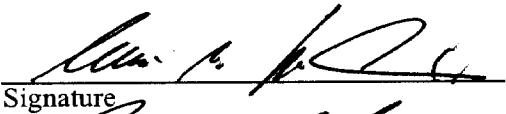
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