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## APPENDIX A

1. U.S. Pat. Appln. Ser. No. 09/686,929 filed October 12, 2000 Inventors: Peter Baumann, et al.

Title: Degassing System for Power Plants

- 2. U.S. Pat. Appln. Ser. No. 09/686,963 filed October 12, 2000 Inventors: Alexander Beeck, et al. Title: Rotor for a Gas Turbine
- 3. U.S. Pat. Appln. Ser. No. 09/684,982 filed October 10, 2000 Inventors: Franz Joos, et al.
  Title: Combustion Apparatus, in Particular for Driving Gas Turbines
- U.S. Pat. Appln. Ser. No. 09/671,303 filed September 28, 2000
   Inventor: Joachim Menden
   Title: Measuring Sensor Positioning
- U.S. Pat. Appln. Ser. No. 09/637,866 filed August 15, 2000
   Inventors: Franz Joos, et al.
   Title: Method for Generating Hot Gases in a Combustion Device and Combustion Device for Carrying Out the Method
- 6. U.S. Pat. Appln. Ser. No. 09/612,297 filed July 7, 2000 Inventor: Michael Jung
  Title: Controllable Cooling Device for Turbogenerators

## **ASSIGNMENT**

THIS ASSIGNMENT is effective as of the first day of November, 2000.

WHEREAS, ABB (Schweiz) AG, a Swiss corporation, having its principal place of business at Haselstrasse 16, CH-5400 Baden, Switzerland, is the record owner of the pending United States patent applications listed in Appendix A attached; and

WHEREAS, certain assets including the U.S. patent applications listed in Appendix A were duly assigned and transferred by the said ABB (Schweiz) AG to ALSTOM, a French limited liability company, having its principal place of business at 25, avenue Kléber, F-75116 Paris, France; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to record this instrument in the United States Patent and Trademark Office attesting to the assignment of said applications for Letters Patent;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ABB (Schweiz) AG acknowledges that it has sold, assigned and transferred, <u>nunc pro tunc</u> as of November 1, 2000, to ALSTOM the entire right, title and interest in and to the said patent applications, including any reissues, reexamined patents, continuations and divisions of said patent applications, said patent applications to be held and enjoyed by ALSTOM for its own use and for the use of its legal

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PATENT REEL: 012318 FRAME: 0464 representatives, successors and assigns, to the full end of the terms for which the said patent applications are granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by ABB (Schweiz) AG had this assignment not been made, together with all claims for past infringement of said patent applications and with the right to sue for and to collect damages for such infringement.

Date 09-11-2001

**RECORDED: 11/26/2001** 

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