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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS we, Michael te Uhle, Schmöldersstrasse 12, D-46414 Rhede AND Dr. Peter Götde, Krampenfeld 5, D-46286 Dorsten, Germany AND Josef Fellingner, Windbichl 8, A-4872 Neukirchen, Austria, have invented an improvement in ELASTIC COUPLING AND ELASTOMERIC ELEMENT THEREFOR

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States

[X] is being made herewith.

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AND WHEREAS A. Friedr. Flender GmbH, Alfred-Flender-Strasse 77, D-46395 Bocholt, Germany, is desirous of acquiring an interest in the same;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the foregoing and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Michael te Uhle and Dr. Peter Götde and Josef Fellingner, hereby assign to the said A. Friedr. Flender GmbH, its assigns and legal representatives, all the right, title and interest in and to said invention for the United States and its territories, and in and to said Letters Patent, continuations, divisions, reissues and extensions thereof in the United States, and hereby request that said Letters Patent issue accordingly. For said considerations, we, Michael te Uhle and Dr. Peter Götde and Josef Fellingner, agree to execute all papers that may be necessary to file applications in the United States for said invention and to assign the same to said A. Friedr. Flender GmbH, or any assignee acquiring title to said invention and to execute any other papers that may be in connection with filing said applications and securing patents thereon.

In Testimony whereof, this assignment is being executed this 20 day of May 2003.

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