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NOW, THEREFORE, THIS DEED WITNESSETH that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, EWK Eisenwerke Kaiserslautern GmbH has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said

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