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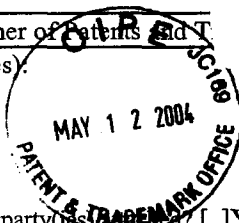
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, ASSIGNORS: WILLIAM T. MATTHEWS and BRYAN NELSON*

of the Cities, Counties and States, respectively of: Chesterland, Geauga, Ohio and Chardon,
Gauga, Ohio, respectively

have made an invention in **METHOD OF PULSE WELDING AND CONTACT TIP
THEREFOR**

and have executed on *May 4, 2004*, respectively, an application for
Letters Patent of the United States on said invention, hereinafter referred to as "said application";

AND, WHEREAS, Lincoln Global, Inc., a Corporation of the State of Delaware

having its principal place of business at 1200 Monterey Pass Road
Monterey Park, California 91754

hereinafter called ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire worldwide rights, title and interest
in, to and under said invention and said application;

NOW THEREFORE

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged,
ASSIGNORS hereby sell, transfer and assign to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, nominees,
or other legal representatives the full, exclusive, entire, worldwide rights, title and interest in, to and
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ASSIGNORS further covenant and agree that ASSIGNORS will, at any time upon request, do everything possible to aid ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, nominees, or other legal representatives, either in the name of ASSIGNORS or ASSIGNEE, to apply for, obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries, according to the International Convention and the Patent Cooperation Treaty and all the laws and treaties in force, all without further consideration but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, nominees or other legal representatives.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this assignment has been executed by the undersigned.


WILLIAM T. MATTHEWS

STATE OF OHIO)
) SS
COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of May 2004


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Bryan Nelson
BRYAN NELSON

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of May 2004

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