
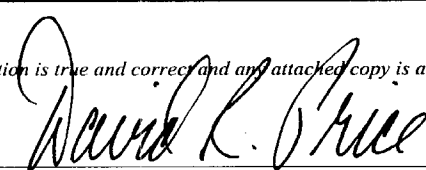


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Pursuant to our obligation to Robert Bosch GmbH (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"),
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