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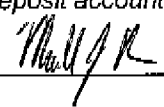
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## PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS Giddings & Lewis, LLC f/k/a Giddings & Lewis, Inc., of 142 Doty Street, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54936-0590, (hereinafter "Assignor") is the owner of the following United States Letters Patent, and the invention set forth therein, as shown by the records of the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

<u>U.S. PATENT NO.</u>	<u>GRANT DATE</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
5,274,919	January 4, 1994	METHOD OF CRACKING A CONNECTING ROD

WHEREAS Cross Huller GmbH, Schwieberdingerstr. 80, D71636 Ludwigsburg, Germany (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the full right, title and interest in and to said invention for the United States of America, and in and to said United States Patent;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignee, Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presence hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets over to Assignee the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said inventions for the United States of America, and in and to said application for Letters Patent listed above, including any and all divisional, continuation, ~~continuation-in-part~~, reissues or extensions thereof, to be held and enjoyed by Assignee for its own use as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this assignment not been made; the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America is hereby authorized to transfer the portion of the title indicated to said patent to said Assignee in accordance herewith; this assignment being under covenant, not only that full power to make the same is had by the Assignor, but also that such assigned rights are not encumbered by any grant, license, or other right theretofore given; Assignor hereby undertakes to execute and deliver to Assignee upon request all lawful documents which

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may be requested by Assignee, and to furnish Assignee with all facts relating to said invention as may be requested.

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Date: 1/28/05

Giddings &amp; Lewis, LLC f/k/a Giddings &amp; Lewis, Inc. ---

By: [Signature]  
Name:  
Title:Date: 1/28/05Date: 1/28/05Witness: [Signature]Witness: [Signature]State of Wisconsin )

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County of Fond du Lac )

On this 28th day of January, 2005, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared the above named person, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed, and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

[Signature]  
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