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Title: **DEVICE FOR EXCHANGING HEAT AND METHOD  
OF MANUFACTURING SUCH DEVICE**

for which application for Letters Patent of the United States was executed on even date; receiving Serial No. 10/961,416 and

WHEREAS, Behr Industrietechnik GmbH & Co. KG, a corporation of Germany, having a principal place of business at Heilbronner Strasse 380, 70469 Stuttgart, Germany; hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

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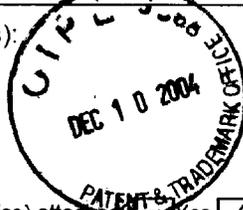
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