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WHEREAS, we, Ulrich DEHNEN, of Louisiana Straße 3, D-70806 Kornwestheim, Germany and Thomas KOVACS, of Primelweg 18, D-74321 Bietigheim-Bissingen, Germany have invented certain improvements in THERMOSTAT VALVE UNIT, for which we have executed an application for United States Letters Patent as dated below; and whereas, Behr Thermot-tronik GmbH, a limited partnership of the Federal Republic of Germany, having a principal place of business at Enzstraße 25, D-70806 Kornwestheim, Germany, desires to purchase the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations paid by the said Behr Thermot-tronik GmbH, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, we have agreed to and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto the said Behr Thermot-tronik GmbH, its successors and assigns in and for the United States and its territories and for foreign countries, the entire right, title and interest in and to said application, in and to the invention therein set forth and in and to any patent which may issue on said application, or any reissue, division, or continuation of said patent or application; and we hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, legal representatives, administrators and assigns properly to execute without further consideration, any and all applications, petitions, oaths and assignments or other papers and instruments which may be necessary to carry into full force and effect the sale, assignment, transfer and conveyance hereby made or intended to be made.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals as dated

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