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WHEREAS, We the following inventors

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hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented certain new and useful improvements in an invention entitled:

**ARRANGEMENT FOR COOLING PLUG-IN UNITS
ARRANGED ON TOP OF EACH OTHER IN A
COMPONENT SUPPORT OR RECEIVING HOUSING**

which is described and claimed in an application for Letters Patent of the United States having Serial No. 11/082,231, a Filing Date of 16 March 2005, and naming as inventors Andreas MÜLLER and Joachim MAUL; said improvements as described and claimed in said application for Letters Patent of the United States, being hereinafter referred to as said "Invention"; and

WHEREAS, Rittal GmbH & Co. KG, a limited partnership duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Country of Germany and having its principal office and place of business at Auf dem Stützelberg, DE-35745 Herborn, Germany, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring ASSIGNORS' entire rights, title and interest in and to said Invention, and in, to and under Letters Patent therefor in the United States;

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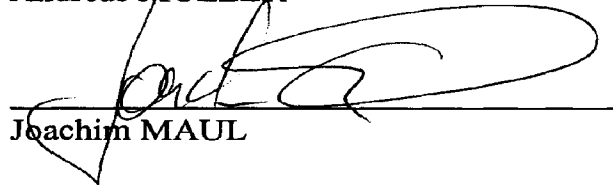


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