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**ASSIGNMENT**THIS Assignment made the 27 day of June 2005.**WITNESSETH:**

Whereas, I Till Ruemenapp of Am Herrenhaus 62, 40822 Mettmann, Germany, (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR") have made an invention entitled **MEDIUM OR HIGH VOLTAGE SWITCH**; Application Serial No. 29/229,746 filed on May 11, 2005, in the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("U.S. Utility Application"); for which ASSIGNOR is executing on even date herewith a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Utility Patent Application for the United States of America, ("U.S. Utility Application"); and

WHEREAS, ABB PATENT GmbH, Oberhausener Str. 33, D-40472 Ratingen, Germany, a corporation organized under the laws of GERMANY, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States which shall be granted therefor from the U.S. Utility Application.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, does hereby sell, assign and transfer to ABB PATENT GmbH the ASSIGNOR'S entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, its territories and possessions in said invention, including said U.S. Utility Application, all divisions and continuations thereof, and all letters patent and reissues thereof, issuing for said invention in the United States of America.

It is agreed the ASSIGNOR shall be legally bound, upon request and at the expense of ABB PATENT GmbH or its successors and assigns or a legal representative thereof, to supply all information and evidence of which the undersigned has knowledge or possession, relating to the making and practice of the invention, to testify in any legal proceeding relating thereto, to execute all instruments and do such other acts as may be necessary and proper to patent the invention in the United States of America in the name of ABB PATENT GmbH or its successors and assigns and to execute all instruments proper to carry out the intent of this Assignment.

ASSIGNOR hereby warrants that no assignment, sale agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which will conflict with this Assignment.

ASSIGNOR hereby requests the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue the Letters Patent of the United States in accordance with this Assignment.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment is executed on the day and year first above written.

ASSIGNOR:

Typed Name: Till Ruemenapp

Till Ruemenapp  
Signature

Witness as to ASSIGNOR:

Edgar Dullni  
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EDGAR DULLNI  
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