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**ASSIGNMENT****WHEREAS,**

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(hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), has invented certain new and useful improvements in a SAFETY BRAKE MECHANISM FOR A WINDING DRUM AND METHOD FOR GRINDING A SAFETY BRAKE, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on September 1, 2005, as application Serial No. 11/217,880, which claims priority from German Patent Application No. 10 2004 043592.8-22 filed on September 9, 2004.

WHEREAS, Demag Cranes & Components GmbH, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Germany, having a place of business at Ruhrstrasse 28, D-58300 Wetter, Germany (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable considerations, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto said Assignee the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention in the United States and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuation-in-part, and extensions thereof including the full right to claim for any such applications the benefits of the International Convention.

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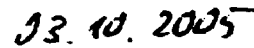
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on the date appearing next to my signature.

Witness:

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Date:

  
Klaus-Jürgen Winter  
13.10.2005