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Address: Patent Department3600 West Lake AvenueCity: Glenview State: ILLINOIS Zip: 60026**3. Nature of Conveyance:**☒ Assignment ☐ Merger☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name☐ Other _____Execution Date: January 4, 18 2006Additional Names/Addresses Attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No**4. Application Number(s) or Patent Number(s):**If this document is being filed along with a new application, the execution date is January 4, 18 2006.

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_____, and Andreas Pahl,
_____,
of 115 Knollwood Court, Hendersonville, TENNESSEE 37075,
and Erlenweg 21, Erkrath, GERMANY 40699,
respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the invention en-
titled: CONTROL CIRCUITS FOR HOT MELT ADHESIVE HEATER CIRCUITS AND APPLICATOR HEADS,
for which an application for Letters Patent was executed on January 4, 18, 2006,
and

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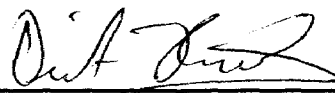
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EXECUTED AT: Hendersonville, TENNESSEE 37075

Executed this 4 day of Jan., 2006.


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