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Yes 

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Whereas We, Horst DIETERLE, Neue Strasse 9, 35096 Niederweimar,

Germany; Peter WAGNER, Krofdorfer Strasse 7, 35435 Wettenberg, Germany have invented a

certain improvement in:

WELDING DEVICE AND METHOD FOR

**WELDING WORKPIECES** 

an application for which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on

November 29, 2005, Serial No. 10/558,370.

Whereas, SCHUNK ULTRASCHALLTECHNIK GMBH, Hauptsstrasse 93,

35435 Wettenberg, Germany, hereinafter referred to as Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the

entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or improvement;

Now, Therefore, in consideration of \$ 1, receipt of which is hereby ack-

nowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, we, by these presents, do sell, assign and

transfer unto said Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives in and for the

United States and its territories and for all foreign countries, the full and exclusive right in and

to the said invention as described in said above application, together with any Letters Patent

which may be granted therefore, and any divisions, reissues, continuations or extensions thereof,

and authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters

Patent resulting therefrom to said Assignee, and covenant that we have full right to do so, and

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