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ASSIGNMENT

In accordance with obligations entered into pursuant to an Employee Innovation and Proprietary Information Agreement or other agreement and/or for other good and valuable consideration of which I/we acknowledge receipt, I/we,

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hereby sell and assign to GE Wind Energy GmbH, a Salzbergen Corporation (in Germany), having an address at Holsterfeld 16, 48499 Salzbergen, Germany, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), its successors and assigns my (our) entire respective right(s), title(s) and interest(s) in and to the invention and improvements invented and originated by me/us and described in the application for United States Patent currently entitled

ROTOR BLADE WITH A LIGHTNING PROTECTION UNIT, WIND ENERGY SYSTEM HAVING THE SAME AND A METHOD FOR CONSTRUCTING A ROTOR BLADE

executed concurrently herewith, and any and all applications for patent and patents therefrom in any and all countries, including all divisions, continuations, reexaminations and reissues thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on said inventions and improvements resulting therefrom to said Assignee, or its successors or assigns and agree that on request and without further consideration, but at the expense of said Assignee, I/we will communicate to said Assignee or its representatives or nominees any facts known to me/us respecting said inventions and improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, reexamination and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Assignee, its

successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention and its improvements in all countries.

Remuneration claims of the inventor(s)/assignor(s) potentially arising from the German Law on Employee Inventions (LEI) remain unaffected by this assignment.

Inventor 1

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Date: 30-Jan-2007

Ronny STAM

Witnessed by:

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Uli Ramm
Printed Name of Witness

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This _____ day of _____, 20____, before me personally came the above named

_____ to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Inventor 3

Andreas Starke Date: 30 Jan. 07
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Witnessed by: Uli Ramon Date: 30-Jan-2007
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