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**ASSIGNMENT  
FOR ISSUED UNITED STATES PATENT**

**Whereas:** I, Erin T. McDevitt, 2021 Crismark Drive, Indian Trail, North Carolina 28079, (hereafter referred to as **ASSIGNOR**), have invented and own a certain invention entitled **COMPOSITION FOR CONTROLLING SPANGLE SIZE, A COATED STEEL PRODUCT, AND A COATING METHOD** for which a continuation application for Letters Patent of the United States Patent was filed on January 7, 2004 under Application Number 10/753,099, and for which United States Letters Patent Number 7,041,386 issued on May 9, 2006 claiming priority from United States Letters Patent Number 6,689,489 issued on February 10, 2004, which is a continuation in-part claiming priority from United States Letters Patent Number 6,468,674 issued on October 22, 2002, which is a continuation claiming priority from United States Application Number 09/414,766 filed October 7, 1999, now abandoned.

**Whereas:** ISG Technologies Inc.  
One South Dearborn  
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United States of America

(hereinafter referred to as **ASSIGNEE**), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set hand and seal.

  
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(Signature) Erin T. McDevitt

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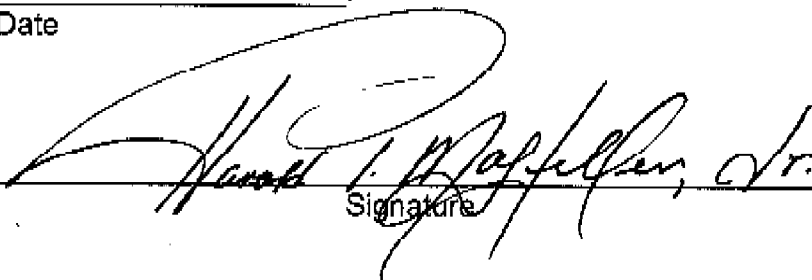
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