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Todd G. Batzler	10/16/2007
Michael D. Madsen	10/16/2007

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

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Street Address:	3600 West Lake Avenue
City:	Glenview
State/Country:	ILLINOIS
Postal Code:	60025

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Property Type	Number
Application Number:	11876246

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## ASSIGNMENT

For valuable and sufficient consideration from Illinois Tool Works Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business at 3600 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, Illinois 60026-1215, receipt of such consideration being hereby acknowledged, we,

- 1) Steven J. Geissler  
4713 Overhill Dr.  
Ft. Collins, CO 80526
- 2) Todd G. Batzler  
W8960 Steinacker Heights  
Hortonville, WI 54944
- 3) Michael D. Madsen  
N1512 Palmbach Lane  
Fremont, WI 54940

hereby sell, assign, and convey unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest:

(1) in and to an invention entitled "**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING MULTIPLE PROCESSES IN A WELDING-TYPE POWER SOURCE USING A REFINED CONTROLLER ARCHITECTURE**" for which we have executed a PCT Patent Application and/or United States Patent Application on even date herewith, and, if applicable, which claims the benefit of United States Provisional Application No(s). \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_;

(2) in and to an invention entitled "\_\_\_\_\_" for which we previously filed United States Provisional Application No(s). \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_; and

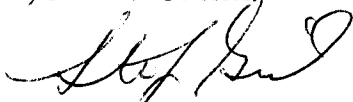
(3) in and to said PCT Patent Application, United States Patent Application and/or United States Provisional Application(s) and in and to all other patent applications now or hereafter filed in the United States and countries foreign to the United States (including divisional, continuation, reexamination, and reissue applications, and legal equivalents thereof) based upon said invention, and in and to the patent or patents granted thereon or issued therefrom, including reissues or the like thereof, if any, to the full end of the term or terms for which said patent or patents may be granted or issued.

We agree that any patent applications of any countries foreign to the United States which may be filed under any applicable international treaties and/or conventions based upon said invention(s) shall be filed in the name of Assignee with the right to claim priority to any earlier filed applications based upon said invention(s).

We hereby further agree that we shall, upon demand of Assignee, its successors or assigns, and without further consideration to us, execute any and all papers that may be necessary, or deemed by Assignee, its successors or assigns, to be necessary, to be a complete fulfillment of the intent and purposes of this Assignment, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be paid by Assignee, its successors and assigns, and not by me/us.

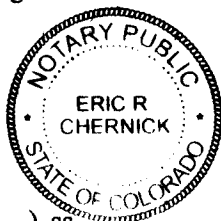
We hereby further agree and authorize the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and all other appropriate government officials for applicable countries foreign to the United States to issue any and all above-identified patents to Assignee.

1) Steven J. Geissler



STATE OF COLORADO

COUNTY OF Larimer



Date: 10-11, 2007

SS.  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:  
June 20, 2011

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 11 day of October, 2007, before me, a Notary Public for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Steven J. Geissler, known to me or satisfactorily proved to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the foregoing instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and Notarial Seal the day and year first above written.



Notary Public, State of ~~Wisconsin~~  
Colorado

My Commission expires: 6/20/2011

2) Todd G. Batzler

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 2007

STATE OF WISCONSIN

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2007, before me, a Notary Public for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Todd G. Batzler, known to me or satisfactorily proved to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the foregoing instrument.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public, State of Wisconsin

My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

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Notary Public, State of Colorado

My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

2) Todd G. Batzler

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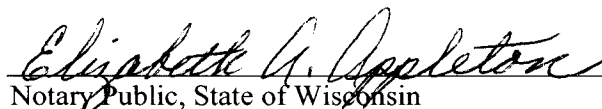


STATE OF WISCONSIN

\_\_\_\_\_ ) ss.  
COUNTY OF Outagamie )

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2007, before me, a Notary Public for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Todd G. Batzler, known to me or satisfactorily proved to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the foregoing instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and Notarial Seal the day and year first above written.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public, State of Wisconsin

My Commission expires: 8/14/2011

3) Michael D. Madsen

Date: 10, 16, 2007

Michael D. Madsen

STATE OF WISCONSIN

COUNTY OF Outagamie ) ss.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 16th day of October, 2007, before me, a Notary Public for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Michael D. Madsen, known to me or satisfactorily proved to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the foregoing instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and Notarial Seal the day and year first above written.

Elizabeth A. Appleton  
Notary Public, State of Wisconsin

My Commission expires: 8/14/2011