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**METHOD FOR MONITORING THE FUNCTIONALITY OF THE HEATING OF A CATALYTIC CONVERTER  
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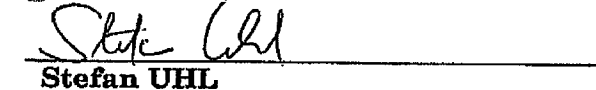
  
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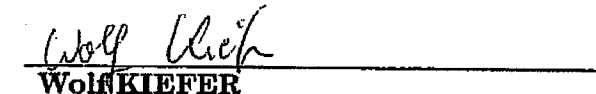
  
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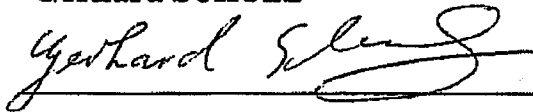
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