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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration.

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hereby sell, assign, and transfer to

ASSIGNEE:

Illinois Tool Works Inc.	of	3600 West Lake Avenue
a Delaware corporation		Glenview, IL 60025-5811
(Type name of ASSIGNEE)		Address

and the successors, assigns, and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE

- ☒ the entire right, title and interest
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for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR START FLOW APPROACH CONTROL FOR A PROPORTIONAL VALVE IN A PLASMA CUTTER

and which is found in

- (a) ☒ U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith; or
(b) ☒ U.S. patent application executed on _____; or
(c) ☒ U.S. application serial no. 12/191,423 filed on August 14, 2008, and provisional U.S. application serial no. 61/056,993 filed on May 29, 2008 (if applicable).

■ To comply with 37 CFR 3.21 for recording of this assignment, I as an ASSIGNOR signing below hereby authorize and request my attorney, as named in the Declaration and Power of Attorney I executed for this invention on the execution date stated above, to insert above the filing date and application number when it becomes known.

- (d) ☐ International application no. PCT/_____
 (e) ☐ U.S. patent no. _____ issued _____

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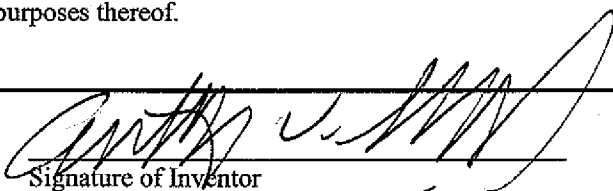
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and in and to all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to Letters Patent any reissue or reexamination thereof.

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