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JOINT ASSIGNMENT

For value received, I/We, **Rainhard PAUL**, a citizen of Germany, residing at Im Wiesengrund 30, 21271 Asendorf, Germany; and **Ola RITZEN**, a citizen of Sweden, residing at Rydbo Mossväg 9; 18494 Åkersberga, Sweden, do hereby sell and assign to **Linde Aktiengesellschaft**, a German Company of Leopoldstr. 252, 80807 Munich, Germany, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest, in my/our improvement in

PROCESS FOR THE HEAT TREATMENT OF STEEL PRODUCTS

for which I/We have made application for Letters Patent of the United States, which application may be identified in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as Serial No.: 12/162,641 filing date July 30, 2008; and,

together with any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, and any divisions, reissues, continuations or extensions thereof, and authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent resulting therefrom to said Company as assignee, and covenant that I/we have full right so to do and agree that I/we will communicate to said Company or its representatives any facts known to me/us respecting said improvement and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation and reissue applications in connection therewith, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns or nominees to obtain and enforce in the United States proper protection for said improvement.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this 2 day of September, 2008.

Rainhard Paul
Rainhard PAUL

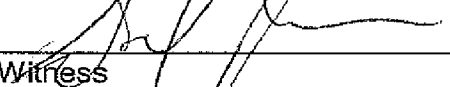
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