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and Ralf ARON**

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): **PHOENIX CONTACT GMBH &  
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ASSIGNMENT

FOR valuable and legally sufficient considerations, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, FRANK KONIECZNY, a citizen of Germany, and a resident of Matthias-Claudius-Weg 3, DE-32657 Lemgo, Germany, DIETMAR KRUMSIEK, a citizen of Germany, and a resident of Niederes Feld 30, DE-31860 Emmerthal, Germany, THORSTEN BEHR, a citizen of Germany, and a resident of Herderweg 8a, DE-32805 Horn-Bad Meinberg, Germany, ANJA KRUSE, a citizen of Germany, and a resident of Heidensche Trift 16, DE 32657 Lemgo, Germany, and RALF ARON, a citizen of Germany, and a resident of Theodor-Hauss-Strasse 9c, DE-32760 Detmold, Germany have co-invented certain new and useful improvements in

METHOD AND CONTROL DEVICE FOR CONTROLLING  
AN AUTOMATING SYSTEM

hereby assign to PHOENIX CONTACT GMBH & CO. KG, a German corporation having its principal office at Flachsmarktstrasse 8, 32826 Blomberg, Germany (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest in and to such invention, together with the patent rights and rights of protection to the same throughout the world, including any patent rights which may result from the application for United States Letters Patent which was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on Oct. 15, 2009, and assigned U.S. Application Serial No. 12/450,844, and any continuation, divisions, continuation-in-part applications, inventor's certificates and extensions thereof, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee for its own use and behoof and for the use and behoof of its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent or other rights of protection may be granted as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had the assignment not been made.

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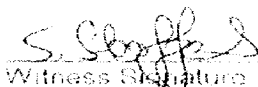
AND WE COVENANT and AGREE and WARRANT that we have full and unencumbered title to the invention hereby assigned, and we further covenant and agree that we have the right to grant such rights to said invention and application and Letters Patent and that we will, at any time upon request without cost to us or further compensation, execute and deliver any and all papers or instruments that, in the opinion of the Assignee, may be necessary or desirable to secure said Assignee the full enjoyment of the rights and properties herein conveyed or intended to be conveyed by this instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREFORE, we have hereunto set our hands and seal:

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