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ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, We, Michele Di Palma of Kastanienstrasse 1, D-31832 Springe, GERMANY; Stephan Lange of Sommerbosteler-Strasse 22, D-30900 Wedemark, GERMANY; Klaus Schippl of Rischkamp 60, D-30659 Hannover, GERMANY and Dr.-Ing. Christian Frohne of Christian-Flemes-Weg 11, D-30657 Hannover, Germany hereby sell, assign and transfer to Nexans having a place of business at 8 rue du General Foy, 75008 Paris FRANCE and their successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to certain inventions related to

ARRANGEMENT WITH A METAL PIPE AND A CONNECTING ELEMENT, AS WELL AS METHOD OF MOUNTING THE CONNECTING ELEMENT

described in application No. 13/405,448 for Letters Patent of the United States; all the rights and privileges in said application and under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted in the United States for said inventions, including continuation, divisional and continuation-in-part applications; and we also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to Nexans the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize **Nexans** to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of **Nexans** to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to **Nexans** in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or

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to such nominees as Nexans they may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to **Nexans**, but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

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