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NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we, said ASSIGNOR(S), do each hereby sell, assign and transfer or confirm the grant and assignment to said **ASSIGNEE** my/our entire right, title and interest in all countries of the world in and to my/our invention described in said application for Patents, in and to the right to file patent applications in the name of **ASSIGNEE**, its designee, or in any or all of our names, at its election, on the aforesaid invention in all countries of the world, together with all rights of priority in the aforesaid countries deriving from the above-identified application for Patents under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, under the Inter-American Convention relating to Inventions, Patents, Designs and Industrial Models and under any other international arrangement relating to patents or intellectual property, in and to any and all Letters Patent that are granted from the aforesaid application for Patents, in and to any applications claiming priority benefits to a provisional patent application or other applications filed on said invention, and in and to any continuations, divisions, reexaminations, reissues, renewals and extensions thereof of any of said Letters Patent, the same to be held and enjoyed by said **ASSIGNEE**, to the full ends of the terms for which all Letters Patent therefore may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this assignment and sale had not been made.

AND I/WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will at any time, upon the request and at the expense of **ASSIGNEE**, without further compensation or charge to said **ASSIGNEE**, execute and deliver any and all documents that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to the foregoing invention, patent applications, and Letters Patent and continuations, divisions, reexaminations, reissues, renewals and extensions thereof in the name of **ASSIGNEE**, including the execution and procurement of any and all further documents evidencing this assignment and sale as may be necessary or desirable for recording the same in the Patent Office of any country concerned, and will make all rightful oaths and declarations and do all lawful acts requisite for procuring the same or for aiding therein.

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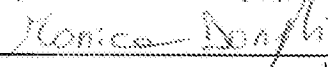
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Executed this 24th day of February, 2014.




Joerg Habermann

On this 24th day of February, 2014, personally appeared before me **Joerg Habermann** to me known, and known by me to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he (she) executed the same, of his (her) own free will for the purpose set forth.



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Uwe Koche

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Frank Narjes
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Cristina Jandell
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Mah Huber
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