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<b>Title of Invention</b>	Production of expanded pellets
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**LEGAL NAME OF INVENTOR**

Inventor: Christian Däschlein

Date: 07.07.14

Signature: 

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Inventor: Peter Gutmann

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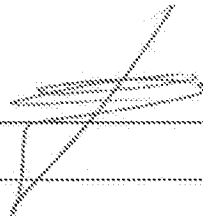
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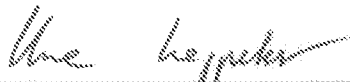
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Inventor: Uwe Keppeler

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Inventor: Jürgen Ahlers

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