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PATENT APPLICATION

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET AND ASSIGNMENT

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As a below named inventor I hereby declare that: I believe that I am the original and first inventor, or an original joint inventor, of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled Device For Monitoring A Belt Tear In A Conveyor Belt, the application of which is attached hereto.

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I am aware of the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

WHEREAS, the undersigned inventor(s) has/have made certain new inventions and/or useful improvements in the above-identified application for Letters Patent which is being or has been filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

WHEREAS, IFM ELECTRONIC GMBH, a corporation formed in Germany and having an address of Friedrichstraße 1, 45128 Essen, Germany (“Assignee”) is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration to me in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby duly and fully acknowledged, have sold and **BY THESE PRESENTS** do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Assignee my entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid application for Letters Patent, including all divisions, continuations, reissues, reexaminations, renewals, extensions, counterparts, substitutes, and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of such applications and granting of such patents. In addition, each undersigned inventor hereby authorizes and requests the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue any United States Patent, and foreign patent authorities to issue any foreign patent, granted for the Invention, to IFM ELECTRONIC GMBH, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, the entire worldwide right, title, and interest in and to the same to be held and enjoyed by IFM ELECTRONIC GMBH, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns to the full end of the terms for which any and all such patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned had this Assignment not been made; and each undersigned inventor agrees to execute any and all documents and instruments and perform all lawful acts reasonably related to recording this Assignment or perfecting title to the Invention and all related patents and applications, in IFM ELECTRONIC GMBH, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, whenever requested by IFM ELECTRONIC GMBH, its successors, legal representatives, or assigns.

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