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Re: U.S. Patent Application on
MAGNETIC BEARING WITH CONSTANT-CURRENT SOURCE
Your Reference: P122097 - CS/cw
Our Reference: BUHLER = 1

Dear Dr. Schick:

In accordance with instructions in your letter of May 9, 1995, and your letters of May 15, 1995, we have now prepared a revised version of the patent application on the above-identified invention that accords with U.S. practice.

A copy of the completed application, including informal drawings suitable for filing in the Patent Office, is enclosed. Please have the three inventors review the application and drawing carefully for accuracy. If it is 100% accurate and satisfactory, please have the inventors sign the enclosed declaration/power of attorney form and assignment at the places indicated (see the penciled checks).

We understand from your letter that the assignee, Mecos Traxler AG, is a small entity due to having fewer than 500 employees. As such, it is entitled to reduced government fees for filing and prosecuting the application. A verified statement claiming small business entity status is also enclosed. This declaration should be signed by an officer of Mecos Traxler AG.

If there are substantial changes to be made, please inform us at once. Minor changes can be made by interlineation in ink, but only before execution of the application by signing and dating the declaration/power of attorney form; and in that case all inventors must also place their initials and the date in the margin adjacent any interlineation.

Once the papers are signed, please transmit them to us by facsimile. The patent application itself need not be transmitted unless signed and dated changes have been made on it. Please also forward to us later, by post or courier, the original signed papers which we should retain as evidence of the original signing.

Please be advised of the continuing duty of all concerned with this invention and patent application to disclose to the U.S. Patent Office any material information of which any involved have become aware that bears on the patentability of the invention. Also, if any improvements have been made on the invention, please inform us of these so that we can insure that the application presents the best mode of the invention, as required by the U.S. patent laws.

Please feel free to telephone or write if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you. We await transmission of the signed documents and/or application papers.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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