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JPL/NTN/sgu/IP: 8245/DELNP/2014

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THE PATENT OFFICE

**DELHI**

Dear Sirs,

**Re: NIPPON STEEL & SUMITOMO METAL CORPORATION**

Indian Patent Application No.: 8245/DELNP/2014

Filed on: October 01, 2014

In the above-identified application, the applicant wishes to amend figure 1 of the specification as indicated in a marked up page attached herewith. It is respectfully submitted that "0.00" under the most left edge of the horizontal axis is changed with "0.001". Fig. 1 is intended to show the relationship between: "THE CONCENTRATION OF OXYGEN ATOMS (%)" and "THE DEPTH OF PIERCING CORROSION (mm)". We find "0.00" under the most left edge of the horizontal axis, which explains "THE CONCENTRATION OF OXYGEN ATOMS (%)". However, the "0.00" should have been "0.001" because the scale of the horizontal axis is exponential. From the most right edge of the horizontal axis, we can see the number "100.00", "10.00", "1.00", "0.10" and "0.01", therefore, it is obvious that the most left edge of the horizontal axis should have been "0.001".

We have the honour to file a formal request for the allowance of the aforesaid amendments on Form 13 along with the prescribed official fees via e-filing.

Retyped amended figure 1 is enclosed. Original figure 1 may please be treated as cancelled.

Early allowance of this request is respectfully requested.

Yours faithfully,

[JAYANTA PAL]  
OF REMFRY & SAGAR

Enclosures: Form 13 and Controller letter  
Amended figure 1  
Marked figure 1

- VIA E-FILING -

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**FORM 13**

THE PATENTS ACT, 1970  
(39 of 1970)  
APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF THE APPLICATION FOR  
PATENT/COMPLETE SPECIFICATION  
[See Section 57; Rule 81 [1]]

We, NIPPON STEEL & SUMITOMO METAL CORPORATION, a Japanese corporation of 6-1, Marunouchi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 1008071, Japan

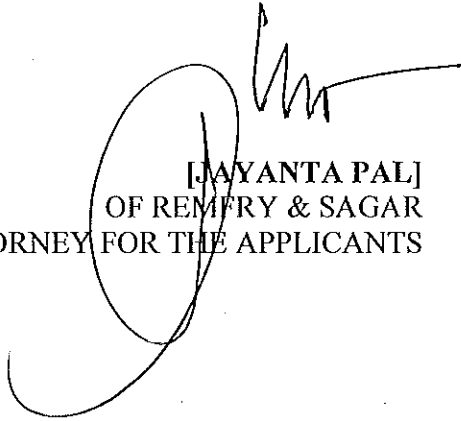
Request leave to amend drawing of the specification of the Patent Application No. 8245/DELNP/2014 filed on 01/10/2014.

Our reason for making this amendment is as follows:

that we desire to amend the figure 1 of the specification by way of correction and explanation in order to ascertain and describe the invention better;

We declare that the facts and matters stated herein are true to the best of our knowledge, information and belief.

Dated this 17<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014

  
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