

**TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT**

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<b>SUBMISSION TYPE:</b>	NEW ASSIGNMENT
<b>NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:</b>	RELEASE BY SECURED PARTY

**CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Merrill Lynch Capital Corporation		12/19/2008	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

**RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

<b>Name:</b>	AXT Acquisition Holdings, Inc.
<b>Street Address:</b>	1209 S. Orange St.
<b>City:</b>	Wilmington
<b>State/Country:</b>	DELAWARE
<b>Postal Code:</b>	19801
<b>Entity Type:</b>	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

<b>Name:</b>	AXT Acquisition Corporation
<b>Street Address:</b>	2711 Centerville Road
<b>Internal Address:</b>	Suite 400
<b>City:</b>	Wilmington
<b>State/Country:</b>	DELAWARE
<b>Postal Code:</b>	19808
<b>Entity Type:</b>	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

<b>Name:</b>	Axletech International IP Holdings, LLC
<b>Street Address:</b>	601 Abbott Road
<b>Internal Address:</b>	c/o CSC-Lawyers Incorporating Service
<b>City:</b>	East Lansing
<b>State/Country:</b>	MICHIGAN
<b>Postal Code:</b>	48823
<b>Entity Type:</b>	LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: MICHIGAN

<b>Name:</b>	Axletech International Holdings, Inc.
<b>Street Address:</b>	2711 Centerville Road
<b>Internal Address:</b>	Suite 400

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City:	Wilmington
State/Country:	DELAWARE
Postal Code:	19808
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	1183678	DURA-DISC
Registration Number:	2867334	AXLETECH INTERNATIONAL
Registration Number:	3171813	XTL

**CORRESPONDENCE DATA**

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Signature:	/Mariann R. Murphy/
Date:	01/07/2009

**Total Attachments: 3**  
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**RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST  
IN TRADEMARK COLLATERAL**

This RELEASE, dated as of December 19, 2008, is made by Merrill Lynch Capital Corporation ("Merrill Lynch"), in favor of AXT Acquisition Holdings, Inc., AXT Acquisition Corporation, Axletech International IP Holdings, LLC, and Axletech International Holdings, Inc. ("AXT") as follows:

**WITNESSETH**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Grant of Security Interests in Patents, Trademarks and Copyrights, dated October 21, 2005 (the "Security Agreement"), and recorded with The United States Patent and Trademark Office on November 11, 2005 at Reel/Frame No. 3193/0001, AXT granted Merrill Lynch a security interest in and to all of its right, title and interest in its trademarks and all applications and registrations therefor, including goodwill (the "Trademark Collateral");

WHEREAS, Merrill Lynch acknowledges full payment, complete performance and satisfaction of all obligations pursuant to the Security Agreement have been made;

WHEREAS, AXT has requested that Merrill Lynch release its security interest in and to the Trademark Collateral, including without limitation the trademarks and all applications and registrations therefor set forth in Schedule A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

NOW, THEREFORE, Merrill Lynch, without recourse, representation or warranty and at AXT's sole cost and expense, hereby RELEASES all of its right, title and interest in and to the Trademark Collateral, including without limitation the trademarks set forth in Schedule A and any other collateral described in the Security Agreement.

Merrill Lynch agrees to provide AXT with any information and additional authorization necessary to effect the release of Merrill Lynch's security interest in the released Trademark Collateral.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Merrill Lynch has caused this Release to be duly executed and delivered by its duly authorized officer as of the date first written above.

**MERRILL LYNCH CAPITAL CORPORATION**

By: Christopher DiBisce  
Name: Christopher DiBisce  
Title: Vice President

**CERTIFICATION OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

STATE OF NEW JERSEY     )  
COUNTY OF MORRIS     ):

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the county aforesaid, on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2008, personally appeared CHRISTOPHER DiBisce who, being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is a Vice President of MERRILL LYNCH CAPITAL CORPORATION, and that he, as such officer being duly authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained as his free act and deed and as the full act and deed of such corporation as such officer.

Joseph M. Murphy, Jr.  
Notary Public  
Joseph M. Murphy, Jr., Esq.  
Attorney at Law  
State of New Jersey

My Commission Expires:  
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**SCHEDULE A  
TO  
RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST  
IN TRADEMARK COLLATERAL  
Reel/Frame: 3193/0001**

**Trademarks:**

<b>Trademark</b>	<b>Database</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Application No. Application Date</b>	<b>Registration No. Registration Date</b>
DURA-DISC			73278038 09/15/1980	1183678 12/29/1981
AXLETECH INTERNATIONAL			76397467 04/17/2002	2867334 07/27/2004
XTL			76403300 05/02/2002	3171813 11/14/2006