Approved by Resolution of the shareholder of ZAO TMK (Unnumbered Resolution dated 12.07.2004)

## MODIFICATION of the Articles of Association of Closed Joint-Stock Company Pipe Metallurgical Company

Section 7, paragraph 7.1. of the Articles of Association shall read as follows:

"The authorised capital of the Company shall be eight billion seven hundred thirty million ten thousand (8,730,010,000) roubles divided into eight hundred seventy-three million one thousand (873,001,000) ordinary registered shares of 10 (ten) roubles each (outstanding stock)".

Paragraph 7.3. of the Articles of Association shall be deleted.

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