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Jeff Boyle
Spencer Morgan
Alastair Veitch

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Sperry Rail Service

Internal Address: _____

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies)

☐ Yes ☒ No

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☒ Assignment☐ Merger☐ Security Agreement☐ Change of Name☐ Other _____Street Address: 46 Shelter Rock RoadCity: Danbury State: CT ZIP: 06810Execution Date: May 8, 1998Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT

WHEREAS, Robin Clark, a citizen of the United Kingdom, residing in Fairfield, County, Connecticut and having an address of 8 Great Meadow Road, New Fairfield, Connecticut 06812; and Jeff Boyle, a citizen of the United States of America, residing in Fairfield County, Connecticut and having an address of 56 Mountainview Drive, Brookfield, Connecticut 06804; and Spencer Morgan, a citizen of the United States of America, residing in Hamilton County, Ohio and having an address of 927 Kreis Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45205 and Alastair Veitch, a citizen of the United Kingdom, residing in Fairfield County, Connecticut and having an address of 37 Secor Road, Brookfield, Connecticut 06804 hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNORS," have jointly invented an invention for a METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TESTING RAILS FOR STRUCTURAL DEFECTS, which was filed on April 7, 1998 and identified under Attorney Docket No. 2007049-0047, hereinafter referred to as the "INVENTION;"

WHEREAS, SPERRY RAIL SERVICE, a Connecticut corporation having a business address of 46 Shelter Rock Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810, U.S.A., hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE," is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under the INVENTION:

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to the INVENTION and any patent that may be granted for such INVENTION, including any continuation, division, continuation-in-part, renewal, substitute, reissue or extension thereof and all Letters Patent which may be granted for any patent in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof or legal equivalent thereof.

ASSIGNORS hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this Assignment and sale.

ASSIGNORS hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents or similar legal protection, to issue all Letters Patent or similar legal protection for the INVENTION to the ASSIGNEE, the INVENTION and any Letters Patent thereof or similar legal protection to be held by the ASSIGNEE for its own use and benefit and for the use and benefit of its successors, or assigns, to the full end of the term of any Letters Patent or such similar legal protection which may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this Assignment and sale not been made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the ASSIGNORS have executed this Assignment on this 8th day of May, 1998.

Robin Clark
ROBIN CLARK

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD)
) ss.
CITY OF DANBURY)

On this 8th day of May, 1998, Robin Clark known to me to be the person of that name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Mary A. Dink
Notary Public

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Jeff Boyle
JEFF BOYLE


ACKNOWLEDGMENT

COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD)
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CITY OF DANBURY)

On this 8th day of May, 1998, Jeff Boyle known to me to be the person of that name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Mary A. Dink
Notary Public

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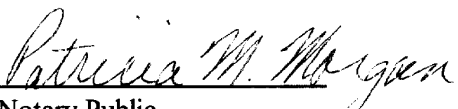

SPENCER MORGAN

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

COUNTY OF HAMILTON)
CITY OF CINCINNATI) ss.

On this 9TH day of May, 1998, Spencer Morgan known to me to be the person of that name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

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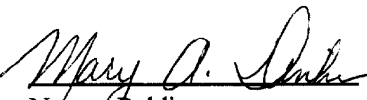

ALASTAIR VEITCH

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD)
CITY OF DONBURY) ss.

On this 8TH day of May, 1998, Alastair Veitch known to me to be the person of that name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

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I hereby certify that the attached Recordation Form Cover sheet for Patents, along with the Assignment from Robin Clark, Jeff Boyle, Spencer Morgan and Alastair Veitch to Sperry Rail Service; a check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover fees; an express mail certificate and a self-addressed return postcard are being deposited with the United States Postal Service 'Express Mail Post Office Addressee' service under 37 CFR 1.10 and is addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Box Assignment, Washington, D. C. 20231.


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