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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS James R. Barickman, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, has invented and is the owner of an invention entitled DUAL-RATE COUPLING EXHIBITING AN ULTRA-SOFT INITIAL SPRING RATE AND BONDED COMPONENT THEREFOR, said invention being fully set forth and described in the application for Letters Patent of the United States (Serial Number 08/896,660 filed July 18, 1997) which has been prepared in connection with said invention; and

WHEREAS, LORD CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and engaged in business at 2000 West Grandview Blvd., P.O. Box 10038, Erie, Pennsylvania 16514-0038, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the said invention and any and all applications for Letters Patent and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, I do hereby assign, transfer and convey unto the said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and application, and in and to any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisions thereof, and in and to all Letters Patent of the United States and all foreign countries or reissues and reexaminations thereof which may be granted thereof or thereon, for the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, together with the right to claim the priority of said application in all foreign countries in accordance with the International Convention, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment and sale had not been made.

I hereby covenant and agree that, at the same time of execution and delivery of these presents, I possess full title to the invention and application abovementioned, and that I have the unencumbered right and authority to make this assignment.

I further covenant and agree and bind my heirs, legal representatives and assigns, promptly to communicate to said assignee and its representatives any facts known to us relating to said invention, to testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said invention, to execute any additional papers which may be requested to confirm the right of the assignee, its representatives, successors or assigns to secure patent or similar protection for the said invention in all countries and to vest in the assignee complete title to the said invention and Letters Patent, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the day of \(\frac{\sqrt{ANVARY}}{\sqrt{ANVARY}} \), 1998.

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NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

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County of Erie

On this 30 day of ________, 1998, before me, a Notary Public in and for the commonwealth and county aforesaid, appeared James R. Barickman, known to me to be the person described in the foregoing instrument, who signed the instrument in my presence, and desired the same to be acknowledged as his free act and deed.

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CARMEN R. SQUEGLIA, Notary Public
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My Commission Expires Oct. 9, 1999

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