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ASSIGNMENT
(Sole Inventor)

WHEREAS, I, Eckert Alfred, (hereinafter referred to as Assignor), residing at Rüsselsheimer Straße 5, 55294 Bodenheim, DE, has invented new and useful improvements in:

METHOD OF OPERATING A PNEUMATIC BRAKE POWER BOOSTER

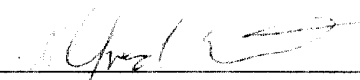
which is set forth in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/945,867, filed 11-3-97; attorney docket AP 8648;

AND WHEREAS, ITT Manufacturing Enterprises, Inc., (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a place of business at **1105 North Market Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801**, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and said application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign, to be obtained therefor and thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor has assigned, sold and set over, and by these presents assigns, sells and sets over unto the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, for the territory of the United States of America and all foreign countries, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application for Letters Patent, including the right to file foreign patent applications corresponding to said application, and the right to claim the priority date of said United States patent application and any legal equivalents thereof, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefor and thereon, and to any and all divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of said application, or re-issues or extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents prepared and executed by Assignor on even date herewith, the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the Assignor had this Assignment and sale not been made.

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12/11/97
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