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Frederick T. Bauer
Lois Bauer
John K. Roberts
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Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment Merger
- Security Agreement Change of Name
- Other _____

Execution Date: November 25, 28, 30, and
December 1, 1998

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Gentex Corporation
Internal Address:

Street Address: 600 North Centennial

City: Zeeland State: Michigan ZIP: 49464

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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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B. Patent No.(s)

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Terry S. Callaghan
Name of Person Signing

Signature

December 4, 1998
Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, FREDERICK T. BAUER, residing in Holland, Michigan, USA, LOIS BAUER, residing in Holland, Michigan, USA, JOHN K. ROBERTS, residing in East Grand Rapids, Michigan, USA, and JOSEPH S. STAM, residing in Holland, Michigan, USA, (herewith jointly referred to as "ASSIGNOR"), have invented SYSTEMS AND COMPONENTS FOR ENHANCING REAR VISION FROM A VEHICLE, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on September 15, 1998 and assigned Application Serial No. 09/153,654 (herewith "APPLICATION"); and

WHEREAS, Gentex Corporation (herewith "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, USA, and having its principal office at 600 North Centennial, Zeeland, Michigan 49464, is desirous of acquiring an interest in APPLICATION and the invention described therein (herewith "INVENTION");

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR, by these presents, does hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title, and interest for the territory of the United States of America, its territories and possessions, and for all foreign countries, in and to APPLICATION and INVENTION, including all rights of priority and other rights in APPLICATION and INVENTION under statutes of the United States of America and all conventions, treaties and international agreements to which the United States of America is a party. APPLICATION, INVENTION, applications in foreign countries on INVENTION, and all Letters Patent on INVENTION are to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE for its own use, and by its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by ASSIGNOR had this Assignment and sale not been made.

ASSIGNOR does further hereby agree to provide all reasonable aid to ASSIGNEE in the preparation, filing and prosecuting of APPLICATION, and any other application for Letters Patent, including (without limitation) foreign applications and continuations, divisionals, continuations-in-part, applications for patents of addition, and

applications for reissue patents, that ASSIGNEE may wish to make covering the INVENTION and investing in ASSIGNEE like exclusive right, title, and interest in and to all such other applications and resulting Letters Patent. ASSIGNOR hereby agrees that ASSIGNOR will similarly aid ASSIGNEE in the prosecution or defense of any interference, conflict, re-examination, opposition, reissue, litigation or like proceeding that may arise involving any application for Letters Patent or Letters Patent herein contemplated and that ASSIGNOR will execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE any and all papers that may be reasonably requested by ASSIGNEE to fully carry out the terms of this Assignment.

ASSIGNOR:

Frederick T. Bauer 11-28-98
Frederick T. Bauer Date

Lois Bauer 11-25-98
Lois Bauer Date

John K. Roberts 12-1-98
John K. Roberts Date

Joseph S. Stam 11-30-98
Joseph S. Stam Date

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) ss.
COUNTY OF KENT)

Before me personally appeared FREDERICK T. BAUER to me known to be the person so identified as an ASSIGNOR in the above ASSIGNMENT, who signed the foregoing instrument in my presence and made oath before me to the allegations set forth therein as being under oath on the 28th day of November, 1998.

Julie R. Williams
Notary Public, State of Michigan
My commission expires: 3/19/2002

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Before me personally appeared LOIS BAUER to me known to be the person so identified as an ASSIGNOR in the above ASSIGNMENT, who signed the foregoing instrument in my presence and made oath before me to the allegations set forth therein as being under oath on the 25th day of November, 1998.

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Before me personally appeared JOHN K. ROBERTS to me known to be the person so identified as an ASSIGNOR in the above ASSIGNMENT, who signed the foregoing instrument in my presence and made oath before me to the allegations set forth therein as being under oath on the 1st day of December, 1998.

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Before me personally appeared JOSEPH S. STAM to me known to be the person so identified as an ASSIGNOR in the above ASSIGNMENT, who signed the foregoing instrument in my presence and made oath before me to the allegations set forth therein as being under oath on the 30th day of November 1998.

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