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

Name: Thrall Car Manufacturing Company

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 2521 State StreetCity: Chicago Heights State: IL ZIP: 60411Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

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## 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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December 18, 1998

Date

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**ASSIGNMENT**

I, RICHARD B. SHADDLE, residing at 737 Cynthia Drive, Sandwich, County of LaSalle and State of Illinois for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have assigned and do hereby assign to THRALL CAR MANUFACTURING COMPANY, a corporation of Delaware, with its principal place of business at 2521 State Street, Chicago Heights, County of Cook and State of Illinois, in the United States of America, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, all of our right, title and interest in and to all subject matter invented by us and disclosed in the application for United States Patent entitled:

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signed by me on the date stated below, and in and to all patents and all Convention and Treaty rights of all kinds, including the rights to claim priority therefrom, in all countries throughout the world, for all such subject matter. I agree to sign all documents necessary to secure all of said patents and rights, and request issuance of all of said patents to the above assignee in accordance with this request.

DECEMBER 8, 1998

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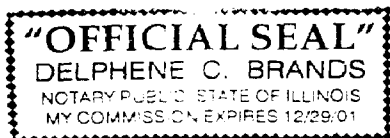
STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
 ) ss  
COUNTY OF COOK )

I hereby certify that, before me at CHICAGO HEIGHTS, in the County of COOK and State of ILLINOIS, on this 8th day of DECEMBER, in the year 1998, before me, personally appeared RICHARD B. SHADDLE personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to this instrument, and acknowledged that he executed it.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

DEC. 8, 1998

Delphine C. Brands  
Notary Public



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