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I, M.C. Wong, having a residence address of 421 Hennessy Road, 1/F, Wanchai, Hong Kong, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have assigned and do hereby assign to ASTEC INTERNATIONAL LIMITED, a Hong Kong corporation having a place of business at 38th Floor. Central Plaza, 18 Harbour Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and to all subject matter invented by me and disclosed in the application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled:

CIRCUIT TO ENSURE EQUAL CURRENT SHARING AND SWITCHING LOSSES BETWEEN PARALLEL POWER DEVICES

filed herewith (Attorney Docket No. 6125/53225), and in and to all Letters Patent and all convention and Treaty rights of all kinds, in all countries throughout the world, for all such subject matter. I agree to sign all documents necessary to secure all said Letters Patent and rights, and request issuance of all said Letters Patent to the above assignee in accordance with this Assignment.

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