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Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Robert Bosch Corporation

Internal Address: 2800 South 25th Ave., Broadview, IL 60153-4594

Street Address:

City: State: ZIP:

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

2-22-99

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

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

09/193,978

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Name: Roger D. Greer Internal Address: GREER, BURNS & CRAIN, LTD. 233 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 8660 Chicago, IL 60606 Street Address: 233 S. Wacker Drive Suite 8660 City: Chicago State: IL ZIP: 60606

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Paul Wickett, a citizen of Canada, residing at 656 Thayer Blvd., Northville, MI 48167, Mary Albrecht, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 24526 Picarza, Novi, MI 48374, Ralph K. Gordinier, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 1435 Woodbridge Lane, Wixom, MI 48393, Ron Moore, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 844 Superior Drive, Troy, MI 48084, Timothy Frasier a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 891 Lincoln, Grosse Pointe, MI 48230-1289, John Casari, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 6701 M52 South, Manchester, MI 48158, Paul Janos a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 4251 N. McNay Court, West Bloomfield, MI 48323-2838, and David M. Fornaro, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 1490 Amberwood Drive, Annapolis, MD 21401, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented and own a certain invention entitled:

JUNCTION BOX HAVING FUNCTION ELECTRONICS

for which application for Utility Patent of the United States has been filed on even date; and

WHEREAS, Robert Bosch Corporation, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a principal place of business at 2800 South 25th Avenue, Broadview, Illinois 60153-4594, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:


Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE TO ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNORS hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and all Utility Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor on said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof and in and to all Utility Patent and all Convention and Treaty rights of all kinds, in all countries throughout the world for said invention for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNORS also assigns all of its right, title and interest in and to said invention in all foreign countries specified by separate agreement, and all applications for Letters Patent which may evolve therefrom, including the right to claim International Convention priority.

ASSIGNORS hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

ASSIGNORS further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNORS and ASSIGNORS will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

Date 2/9/99

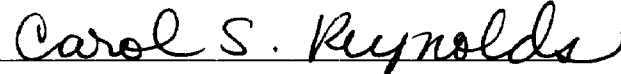

Paul Wickett

State of Michigan)

County of Oakland) ss:
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I hereby certify that Paul Wickett before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this 9 day of February, 1999.

(Notarial Seal)


Notary Public

My commission expires:
CAROL S. REYNOLDS
NOTARY PUBLIC -- OAKLAND COUNTY, MICH.
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Date 2-9-99

Mary Albrecht
Mary Albrecht

State of Michigan)

) ss:

County of Oakland)

I hereby certify that Mary Albrecht before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this 9 day of February, 1999.

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Carol S. Reynolds
Notary Public

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Ralph K. Gordinier
Ralph K. Gordinier

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) ss:

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I hereby certify that Ralph Gordinier before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this 9 day of February, 1999.

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Ron Moore
Ron Moore

State of Michigan)

County of Oakland) ss:
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I hereby certify that Ron Moore before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this 9 day of February, 1999.

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Timothy Frasier
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I hereby certify that Tim Frasier before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this 9 day of February, 1999.

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John Casari
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I hereby certify that John Casari before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this 9 day of February, 1999.

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Paul Janos
Paul Janos

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County of Oakland)
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Date _____

SEE SECOND ASSIGNMENT

David M. Fornaro

State of _____)

) ss:

County of _____)

I hereby certify that _____ before me personally appeared and acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed, sealed and delivered by him as his free and voluntary act on this _____ day of _____, 199__.

(Notarial Seal)

Notary Public

My commission expires:

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, David M. Fornaro, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 1490 Amberwood Drive, Annapolis, MD 21401, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, has jointly invented and co-owns a certain invention entitled:

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