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Mark L. Schroeder and Merton R. Lawwill

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

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Schwinn Cycling & Fitness Inc.,
a Delaware corporation

Internal Address _____

Street Address: 1690 - 38th Street

City: Boulder State: CO ZIP: 80301-2602

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

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

Serial No. 09/160,001

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March 19, 1999

Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Mark L. Schroeder, 5920 B Gunbarrel Avenue, Boulder, Colorado 80301; have made a certain new and useful invention relating to a REAR SUSPENSION FOR A BICYCLE HAVING A FLEXIBLE CHAIN STAY, for which I have made application for Letters Patent of the United States, which application may be identified in the United States Patent Office as Application Serial No. 09/160,001, filed on September 24, 1998, for REAR SUSPENSION FOR A BICYCLE HAVING A FLEXIBLE CHAIN STAY; and

WHEREAS, I now own the entire right, title and interest therein jointly with Merton R. Lawwill, 148 Rockhill Drive, Tiburon, California 94920, who is a joint inventor of the invention mentioned above; and

WHEREAS, Schwinn Cycling & Fitness Inc., a Delaware corporation, whose post office address is 1690 38th Street, Boulder, Colorado 80301-2602, Assignee, is desirous of acquiring my entire interest in and to said invention, said application, or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and the Letters Patent, or any reissue or re-examination thereof, to be obtained therefor:

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration to me in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned, and set over and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and set over unto the said Schwinn Cycling & Fitness Inc., and said assignee's legal representatives, successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application or any continuation, division, renewal or substitute thereof, international and foreign and regional applications corresponding thereto, and the Letters Patent, both foreign and domestic, that may or shall issue thereon, or any reissue or re-examination thereof; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to the above-mentioned assignee, consistent with the terms of this Assignment.

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE the above-mentioned assignee to insert in this instrument the filing date and serial number of said application.

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, I hereby covenant and agree with the said assignee that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that I will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of the said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, renewal, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United

States, or of any and all foreign countries, on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of both parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on the date indicated below.

June 29, 1998


Mark L. SCHROEDER

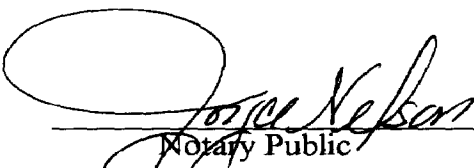
STATE OF COLORADO)

COUNTY OF Boulder)

ss.

On this 29th day of July, 1998, before me a notary public in and for said county, appeared Mark L. Schroeder who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the same instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(S E A L)


Notary Public
My Commission Expires 10/13/1998

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on the date indicated below.

7-29-, 1998

Merton R Lawwill
Merton R. LAWWILL

STATE OF Colorado)
COUNTY OF Boulder) ss.

On this 29th day of July, 1998, before me a notary public in and for said county, appeared Merton R. Lawwill who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the same instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(S E A L)

Joyce Nelson
Notary Public
My Commission Expires 10/13/1998

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