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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration,

the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I the undersigned, Arnd BÜRGER (hereinafter

referred to as "ASSIGNOR"):

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to United Parts FHS Automobil Systeme

GmbH, (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation of Germany, having a place of

business at Am Burgberg 7, D-37586 Dassel, Germany, respectively, its successors, assigns and

legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign

countries, in and to any and all improvements which has been executed by the undersigned

concurrently herewith, and which is entitled

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and in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all

other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all

foreign countries on any of said improvements; and in and to all original and reissued patents

which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on said

improvements;

Agree that said Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said

improvements in its own name, and that, when requested, without charge to but at the expense of

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Covenant with said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

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Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives; and

Arnd BÜRGER

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