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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS WE, Thomas J. Ouellette of Epping, New Hampshire; William H. Prendergast of Salem, New Hampshire; and William E. Ziegler of Reading, Massachusetts, have invented certain new and useful improvements in WINDSHIELD WIPER SYSTEM for which we are about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States, which application may be identified in the United States Patent Office as Serial No. 09/341,043, filing date June 30, 1999; and

WHEREAS, McCORD WINN TEXTRON INC. is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable considerations, to us in hand paid, the receipt and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, and set over and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, and set over unto the said McCORD WINN TEXTRON INC. and said assignee's legal representatives, successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, and the Letters Patent, both foreign and domestic, that may or shall issue thereon; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to the above-mentioned assignee agreeable with the terms of this assignment.

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

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, we convey to said assignee the right to make application in its own behalf for protection of said invention in countries foreign to the United States and where expedient to claim under the International Convention or other international arrangement for any such application the date of the said United States application (or other application if any there be) in priority to other applications;

WE DO HEREBY COVENANT and agree with the said assignee that we will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that we 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.

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