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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

William T. Auclair

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Electric Motion Company, Inc.  
Street Address: 110 Groppo Drive  
City, State, ZIP: Winsted, CT 06098  
Country: U.S.A.

State of Incorporation: Connecticut

3. Nature of Conveyance: Assignment  
Execution Date: January 20, 2000

4. This document is being filed with a new application, the execution date of which is January 20, 2000.

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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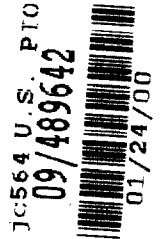
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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, William T. Auclair, residing at 21 Pinney Street, Winsted, CT 06098, have invented new and useful improvements in:

### FIBER OPTIC SHIELD CONNECTOR

for which I am making application for Letters Patent of the United States, which application was executed by me on the 20 day of Jan, 2000; and

WHEREAS, Electric Motion Company, Inc., a Connecticut corporation, having a place of business at 110 Groppo Drive, Winsted, CT 06098, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements and any Letters Patent which may be granted thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One (1) Dollar to me in hand paid and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said William T. Auclair, sell, assign and transfer to Electric Motion Company, Inc., its successors and assigns (hereinafter called "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest in and to said improvements and in and to any Letters Patent which may be obtained thereon in the United States and in all countries foreign thereto, together with said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and other applications for Letters Patent which have been or may be filed on said improvements in the United States or any other country; the same to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its and their sole use and behoof; and I do hereby further assign to the Assignee the right to file applications for patent in all countries on said improvements and all rights of priority resulting from any application for Letters Patent filed on said improvements.

I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all Letters Patent of the United States on said improvements to the Assignee.

I further covenant and agree that when requested by the Assignee, and without further consideration, but at the cost and expense of the Assignee, I will, for any and all countries, execute and deliver all applications for patent on said improvements, execute all lawful oaths and other papers, supply to the Assignee all facts and evidence known to me relating to said improvements and the history and development thereof, testify in all interferences, suits, and other legal proceedings, and generally do everything rightful which the Assignee shall consider desirable for aiding in securing,

I further covenant that I have the lawful right to assign the interest in said improvements in the manner and form as herein expressed and that the interests herein conveyed are free from prior assignment, grant, mortgage, license, or other encumbrance whatsoever.

William T. Auclair  
William T. Auclair

Darren D. Dwyer  
Notary Public

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