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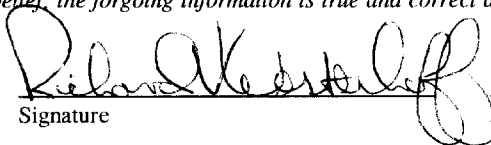
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WHEREAS, we, **KEVIN ANTHONY SIMMS**, of **1410 Knights Drive, Apt. 314, Library**, in the County of **Allegheny**, Commonwealth of **Pennsylvania 15129**; **JEFFREY WAYNE LOCKHART**, of **83 South Euclid Avenue, Bellevue**, in the County of **Allegheny**, Commonwealth of **Pennsylvania 15202**; and **MICHAEL JOSEPH ERB**, of **247 Lend Street, Fombell**, in the County of **Beaver**, Commonwealth of **Pennsylvania 16123**; respectively, have invented certain improvements in: **A REMOTELY CONTROLLABLE CIRCUIT BREAKER WITH COMBINED VISUAL INDICATION OF STATE AND MANUAL OVERRIDE** for which we are about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, **EATON CORPORATION**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio, having its principal place of business at Eaton Center, Cleveland, Ohio 44114, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of continued employment and/or other undertakings and/or other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, **KEVIN ANTHONY SIMMS**, **JEFFREY WAYNE LOCKHART**, and **MICHAEL JOSEPH ERB** by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto said **EATON CORPORATION**, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right in the United States of America and all foreign countries to the said invention as described in the specification executed by us on the 9 day of FEB., 2000; the 9 day of FEB., 2000; and the 9 day of FEB, 2000 (and we hereby authorize our attorneys, authorized to prosecute said application, to here insert the filing date and Serial No. of the said application, as soon as it is known, Serial No \_\_\_\_\_, Filed \_\_\_\_\_ preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor); said invention, all applications for Letters Patent and all Letters Patent therefor, to be held and enjoyed by the said **EATON CORPORATION**, for its own use and behoof and for its legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which



