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COVER SHEET FOR RECORDAL OF DOCUMENT (PATENT)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 3.31, enclosed herewith is a document for recordal in this case.
The following information is provided:

(1) **Name Of Party Conveying The Interest:**

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(3) **Description Of The Transaction To Be Recorded:**

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(4) **Application(s) and/or Patent(s) Against Which Enclosure Is To Be Recorded:**

Serial Number 29/116,170, filed December 28, 1999.
 Application being filed concurrently herewith.
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(5) **Name And Address Of The Party To Whom Correspondence Concerning The Request To Record Should Be Mailed:**

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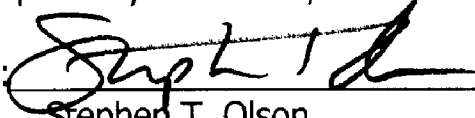
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(7) **Date(s) The Document Was Executed:** February 19, 21 and 23, 2000

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct, and if the attached is not an original document, the undersigned verifies that it is a true copy of the original.

Respectfully submitted,


By: 

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$40.00 for assignment recordal and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1800. A duplicate copy of this Cover Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: February 29, 2000

Assignment

We, Brandon L. Faurote, Donald A. Renkert, David C. McKinnon, and Robert E. Boniface have invented a new, original and ornamental design for an article entitled:

VEHICLE BODY

which Assignor has made United States application for patent under Serial No. 29/116,170, filed December 28, 1999.

DaimlerChrysler Corporation, a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business at Auburn Hills, Michigan, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the invention and under the Letters Patent, and similar legal protection to be obtained, worldwide.

In consideration of the payment by DaimlerChrysler Corporation to us of the sum of \$1.00 and other good and valuable consideration, receipt being acknowledged, we sell, assign, and transfer unto DaimlerChrysler Corporation, our full and entire right, title, and interest in the invention worldwide and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained for the invention worldwide by the application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute, re-examination, reissue, or any legal equivalent, for the full term or terms that may be granted.


We authorize the U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE to insert the filing date and Serial Number of the application, to wit, Serial No., 29/116,170, filed December 28, 1999. We authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue all Letters Patent of the United States to DaimlerChrysler Corporation.

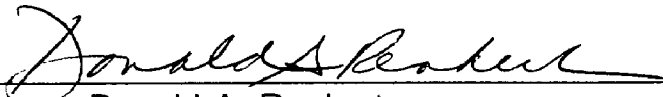
We warrant that we have the right to sell, assign, and transfer our full and entire right, title, and interest in the invention and that no assignment, sale, agreement, or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into that will conflict with this sale, assignment, and transfer.

We further agree to communicate to DaimlerChrysler Corporation or its representatives, any facts known to us respecting the invention, testify in any legal proceedings relating to the invention when called upon, and sign all instruments and documents and render such assistance which, in the judgment of DaimlerChrysler Corporation, is necessary to vest in it and protect the legal right, title, and interest assigned in this Assignment.

This Assignment will be binding on our heirs and legal representatives.

Date 2/19/00 
Brandon L. Faurote

Witness 

Date 2/21/00 
Donald A. Renkert

Witness 

Date 2/23/00 
David C. McKinnon

Witness 

Date 2/21/00 
Robert E. Boniface

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