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## ASSIGNMENT

For and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us:

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paid by Robert Bosch Corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), a Delaware corporation  
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and for other valuable and sufficient consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we  
hereby sell, assign and convey, unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and  
interest -

(1) in and to an invention entitled "SPRING LOCATOR FOR DAMPING DEVICE"  
for which we have executed a United States patent application Serial No. 09/449,164, filed  
November 24, 1999;

(2) in and to said United States patent application, in and to all other patent  
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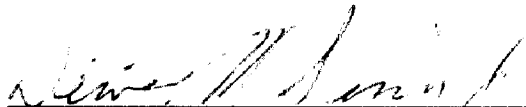
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(4) under the International Convention in respect to the United States patent application and agree that any patent applications of any foreign countries which may be filed shall be filed in the name of our Assignee with a claim to priority based on said United States application.

And we hereby agree that we will, upon demand of Assignee, its successors or assigns, and without further consideration to us, execute any and all papers that may be necessary, or deemed by Assignee, its successors or assigns, to be necessary, to a complete fulfillment of the intent and purposes of this Assignment, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be paid by Assignee, its successors and assigns, and not by us.

And the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States is hereby authorized and requested to issue the said United States patent or patents to Assignee.

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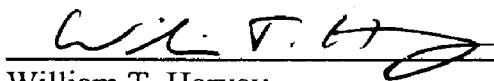
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