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09/293,703

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Thomas E. Braford, Jr., of Brighton, in the County of Livingston, and the State of Michigan, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a TRANSFER CASE HAVING PARALLEL CLUTCHES identified as Borg-Warner Case No. DKT98036 and described in a patent application filed April 16, 1999, and assigned Serial No. 09/293,703, all preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; and

WHEREAS, BORGWARNER INC., a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a place of business at 3001 West Big Beaver Road, Suite 200, Troy, Michigan 48007-5060, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, and in, to and under Letters Patent therefor in the United States and all other countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN THAT, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to and unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, and in, to and under the above identified application and all other applications for Letters Patent of the United

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States and for patents, utility models and other industrial property in all other countries for the above entitled invention or inventions, including any and all priority rights or dates pursuant to the provisions of any International Convention for the protection of industrial property; and in, to and under all Letters Patent that may be issued for said invention or inventions in the United States and all other countries, and in, to and under all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and covenant that I have the full right so to do; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue all United States Letters Patent on the invention or inventions included herein to said ASSIGNEE, as assignee of the entire interest, and I authorize said ASSIGNEE to file applications for patents, utility models and other industrial property based on said invention or inventions in ASSIGNEE's name and to claim the above identified priority rights or dates.

I further agree that I will communicate to said ASSIGNEE or its representatives or agents all facts and information known or available to me respecting said invention or inventions, including evidence for interference purposes or for other legal proceedings, whenever requested; testify in any interference or other legal proceedings; execute and deliver, on request, all lawful papers including original, divisional, continuing and reissue applications, renewals, assignments, power of

attorney, oaths, affidavits, depositions, etc., and generally do everything possible to aid said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, in obtaining and enforcing proper protection for said invention or inventions, in the United States and all other countries.

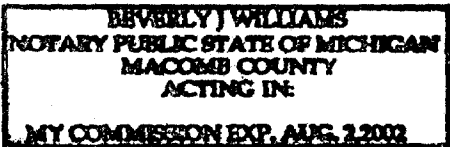
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27 day of August, 2000.

Thomas E. Bradford, Jr.
Thomas E. Bradford, Jr.

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I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby certify that Thomas E. Bradford, Jr., personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the same instrument as his free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and notarial seal this 28th day of August, 2000.



Beverly J. Williams
Notary Public
My commission expires 08-02-02

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