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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, YOSUKE HIGASHI, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, is a named inventor of an invention entitled: AIR BAG SYSTEM described and claimed in an application for Letters Patent of the United States signed by ASSIGNOR and dated the 22 day of August . 2000; and

WHEREAS, TS TECH Co., Ltd., a corporation of Japan, and engaged in business at 7-27, 3-chome Sakae-cho, Asaka-shi, Saitama-ken, Japan, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the said invention and any and all applications for Letters Patent and any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued therefor;

NOW THEREFORE THIS IS TO WITNESS that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned and set over and hereby does sell, assign and set over, unto ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, his or her entire right, title and interest for, to and within the United States, in and to the aforesaid invention, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be issued therefor in the United States;

And ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States to ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as the owner of all right, title and interest therein.

And for said consideration, it is hereby covenanted and agreed that at the request and expense of ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, ASSIGNOR will execute any further papers and do such other acts and things as may be necessary and proper to permit ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, to procure Letters Patent for said invention in the United States as ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns may elect, and vest the full title thereto in ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment has been executed on the day and month indicated below.

Signature

Aug 22, 2000 YOSUKE HIGASHI

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