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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Kevin J. Machalek, residing at 618 South Belmont, Arlington Heights, Illinois 60005 and William C. Hittie, Jr., residing at 611 South NaWaTa Avenue, Mount Prospect, Illinois 60056 hereinafter collectively referred to as ASSIGNOR, have invented a new, original invention titled "GEARMOTOR WITH FEEDBACK CONTROL APPARATUS AND METHOD," for which an application for United States Letters Patent was executed by us on July 2, 2001 ;

WHEREAS, Merkle-Korff Industries, Inc. a corporation of the State of Illinois, having a principal place of business at 1776 Winthrop Drive, Des Plaines, Illinois 60018-1980; hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and said application and any United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and said application and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor on said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, including the right to sue and collect for any and all infringements thereof.

ASSIGNOR also assigns all of its right, title and interest in and to said invention in all foreign countries, and all applications for Letters Patent which may evolve therefrom, including the right to claim International Convention priority.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNOR will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

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