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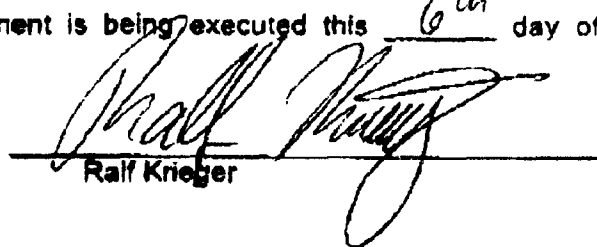
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invented an improvement in

TREAD CONFIGURATION FOR A VEHICLE TIRE
for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States is being made herewith,

AND WHEREAS, Continental Aktiengesellschaft, Postfach 1 69, D-30001 Hannover,
Germany, is desirous of acquiring an interest in the same;

Now, Therefore, in consideration of the foregoing and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby assign to the said Continental Aktiengesellschaft, its assigns and legal representatives, all the right, title and interest in and to said invention for the United States and its territories, and in and to said Letters Patent, continuations, divisions, reissues and extensions thereof in the United States, and hereby request that said Letters Patent issue accordingly. For said considerations, I, Ralf Krieger agree to execute all papers that may be necessary to file applications in the United States for said invention and to assign the same to said Continental Aktiengesellschaft or any assignee acquiring title to said invention, and to execute any other papers that may be needed in connection with filing said applications and securing patents thereon.

In Testimony whereof, this assignment is being executed this 6th day of
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Ralf Krieger