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Hereby sell, assign, and transfer to **Siemens Automotive Inc.**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Ontario, Canada, having its principal place of business at **700 Park Avenue East, Chatham, Ontario, Canada N7M 5M7**;

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