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ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, we, HORST DAMM and WOLFGANG DORNHEGE, residing at Gustav-Altenhain-Str. 7a, 44549 Sprockhovel, Germany, and Kleine Heide 10, 44532 Lunen, Germany, respectively, citizens of Germany, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented certain new and useful improvements in WHEEL DRIVE WITH INTEGRATED DYNAMIC SERVICE BRAKE and which we have filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on June 22, 2001 as Serial No. 09/887,515; and

WHEREAS, LOHMANN STOLTERFOHT GMBH, a corporation organized under the laws of Germany, having its principal office at Mannesmannstraße 29, 58455 Witten, Germany, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the improvements and the application.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the Assignors have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents to hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the improvements and inventions, and the application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for the improvements to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representative and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

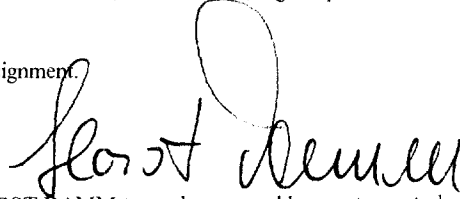
AND WE, HEREBY covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE, HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting the improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the improvements in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have set our hand and seal to this Assignment.

Dated October 25, 2001

HORST DAMM



On this ____ day of October 2001, before me personally appeared HORST DAMM to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

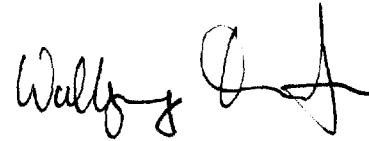

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