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4. PROPERTY(IES): New Patent Application filed herewith  
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For good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, as a below named inventor, I hereby sell and assign to **New York Air Brake Corporation (Hereinafter called ASSIGNEE)**, a Delaware corporation of **748 Starbuck Avenue, Watertown, New York 13601** its successors and assigns or other legal representatives all my rights, title and interest, in and for the United States of America and all foreign countries, in and to the invention entitled:

**BRAKE SYSTEM WITH GRADUATED EMPTY/LOAD**

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And I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to said **ASSIGNEE**.

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