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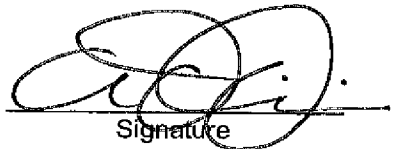
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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, WE, DONALD E. MOORE and STEVEN F. WILMS, both of Lexington, Kentucky, and YUKITSUGU (NMI) SUZUKI of Gamagouri, Aichi, Japan, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent executed by us the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2002, entitled SYSTEMS FOR CONNECTING A GROUND-ENGAGING MOTIVE DEVICE TO A VEHICLE AND RELATED METHODS;

AND WHEREAS, Link-Belt Construction Equipment Co. L.P., LLLP a Delaware limited liability limited partnership, and having a place of business at 2651 Palumbo Drive, Lexington, Kentucky 40583-3600, is desirous of acquiring a 50% right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

AND WHEREAS, Sumitomo Construction Machinery, a corporation of Japan, and having a place of business at 2651 Palumbo Drive, Lexington, Kentucky 40583-3600, is desirous of acquiring a 50% right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, we do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Link-Belt Construction Equipment Co. L.P., LLLP and Sumitomo Construction Machinery, their legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the

right, title and interest, according to the percentages set forth above, in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, we hereby agree with the said assignees that we will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that we will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of the said assignees, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignees may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignees' enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of assignors and assignees;

We hereby authorize and request King and Schickli PLLC of 247 North Broadway, Lexington, Kentucky 40507 to insert here in parenthesis (Application Serial No. 10/126,188, filed April 19, 2002) the serial number and filing date of this application when known.

AND we request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said Link-Belt Construction Equipment Co. L.P., LLLP and Sumitomo Construction Machinery, their legal representatives, successors or assigns, as sole owners of the right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

4/17/2002  
Date

Donald E Moore  
Donald E. Moore

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY )  
COUNTY OF Jayette )

) SS:

On this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2002 before

me personally appeared Donald E. Moore, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

My commission expires: MY COMMISSION EXPIRES OCT. 10, 2004

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Maie Maxey  
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03-28-02  
Date

Steven F. Wilms  
Steven F. Wilms

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY )  
COUNTY OF Jayette )

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Yukitsugu Suzuki  
Yukitsugu (NMI) Suzuki

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