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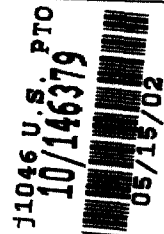
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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION
TO
RELIANCE ELECTRIC TECHNOLOGIES, LLC

WHEREAS, **Chuong H. Nguyen** of **Simpsonville, State of South Carolina** (hereinafter sometimes referred to as "said inventor"), has invented certain new and useful improvements in **METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING A WORM SHAFT FOR A GEARBOX AND GEARBOX INCORPORATING SAME** which invention (hereinafter sometimes referred to as "said invention") has been disclosed to and filed, under Docket No. **02RE119**, in the patent files of **RELIANCE ELECTRIC TECHNOLOGIES, LLC** and which invention is covered by a patent application, executed and filed concurrently herewith in the Patent and Trademark Office for the United States of America.

NOW THEREFORE, it is agreed that, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, said inventor has sold, assigned and transferred and by these present does sell, assign and transfer unto **RELIANCE ELECTRIC TECHNOLOGIES, LLC**, the entire right, title and interest in said invention in the United States of America and all foreign countries and in and to said U.S. provisional patent application and all patent applications, divisions, substitutions, continuations and continuations-in-part thereof, and in all United States Letters Patents which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and in all priority rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property for every member country, and in all applications for patents (including related rights such as utility-model registrations, inventor's certificates, and the like) heretofore or hereafter filed for said invention in any foreign countries, and in all patents (including all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof) granted for said invention; said applications and patents to be held and enjoyed by the said **RELIANCE ELECTRIC TECHNOLOGIES, LLC**, for its own use and for the use of its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which Letters Patent on same may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by said inventor had this assignment and sale not been made.

FURTHER, said inventor hereby agrees to sign all lawful papers necessary or helpful in obtaining patents on said invention or in filing any divisional, continuation, substitution, or reissue patent application or re-examination proceedings on said invention whether in the United States of America or in any foreign country.

May 15, 2002



Chuong H. Nguyen

State of South Carolina)

) ss.

County of GREENVILLE)

This 15 day of MAY, 2002, before me personally appeared **Chuong H. Nguyen**, to me known to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledge to me that he/she executed the same.

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Patricia J. Klein
 Notary Public, State of SOUTH CAROLINA
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