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For good and valuable consideration, I Michael Brooks, reside at 2616 Carissa Avenue, Windsor, Ontario N8R 2J8, a citizen of Canada

Hereby sell, assign, and transfer to **Siemens VDO 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 N7M 5M7 Canada;**

hereinafter "Assignee", its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in a Provisional Application filed June 7, 2001 and identified as United States Provisional Application Serial No. 60/296,658, and in the application for United States Letters Patent, which has been executed by the undersigned concurrently herewithin, and is entitled:

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