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() Yes (X) No

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Name: Yanmar Co., Ltd.

Address: 1-32, Chayamachi, Kita-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka  
530-0013 Japan

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ASSIGNMENTWHEREAS, I/WE (1) Yuji KITASAKA,a Japanese citizen, residing at Osaka, Japan(2) Takeshi HASEBE,a Japanese citizen, residing at Osaka, Japan(3) Katsunori KATOU,a Japanese citizen, residing at Osaka, Japan(4) Toshiyuki MIWA,a Japanese citizen, residing at Osaka, Japan

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a \_\_\_\_\_ citizen, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

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a \_\_\_\_\_ citizen, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

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a \_\_\_\_\_ citizen, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

(8) \_\_\_\_\_,

a \_\_\_\_\_ citizen, residing at \_\_\_\_\_

hereinafter referred to as Assignor (collectively if more than one inventor is listed above), have invented certain new and useful improvements in HYDRAULICALLY DRIVEN TRAVELING VEHICLE

the specification of which:

(a) ☐ was executed on even date herewith;(b) ☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as ☐ Application No.  
0 / \_\_\_\_\_ or ☐ Express Mail No., as

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and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
(if applicable); or

(c) ☒ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. PCT/JP00/09063  
filed on December 20, 2000 and as amended under PCT Article 19 on \_\_\_\_\_  
(if any) and/or under PCT Article 34 on \_\_\_\_\_  
November 12, 2001 (if any).

AND WHEREAS, Yanmar Co., Ltd.

with its principal place of business at 1-32, Chayamachi, Kita-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka  
530-0013 Japan

(hereinafter referred to as Assignee) desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements with respect to the United States of America, its territories and possessions.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby acknowledges that it has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in the United States of America, and its territories and possessions in, to and under said improvements, and any Patent Applications in the United States of America and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States of America which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions; and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America to issue all Patents for said improvements to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY covenants and agrees that it will communicate to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to it respecting said 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 Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in the United States of America.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor intending to be legally bound has hereunto affixed its signature.

This 22 day of 7, 2002 Takeshi Hasebe  
Signature of \_\_\_\_\_

This 22 day of 7, 2002 Hiatsunori Kato  
Signature of \_\_\_\_\_

This 30 day of 7, 2002 TOSHITUKI MIWA  
Signature of \_\_\_\_\_

This 22 day of 7, 2002 Yuji Kitasaka  
Signature of \_\_\_\_\_