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## ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, NSK Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as Assignor), a corporation organized under the laws of the Japan, located and doing business at 6-3, Ohsaki 1-chome, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo, Japan, is the owner of the right, title and interest in and to the invention entitled AUTOMOTIVE PASSENGER RESTRAINT AND PROTECTION APPARATUS AND SEATBELT PROTRACTION AND RETRACTION AMOUNT-DETECTING DEVICE assigned United States Application Serial No. 09/578,464, filed May 25, 2000 and the invention entitled AUTOMOTIVE PASSENGER RESTRAINT AND PROTECTION APPARATUS assigned United States Application Serial No. 09/862,052, filed May 21, 2001 in the United States Patent Office, and

Whereas, NSK AUTOLIV CO.,LTD. (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), located and doing business at 12, Kirihara-cho, Fujisawa-shi, Kanagawa, Japan, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said Application Nos. 09/578,464 and 09/862,052.

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby sells, transfers and sets over to said Assignee, all right, title and interest in and to said inventions as disclosed, shown and described in said Application Serial No, 09/862,052 and 09/578,464 and in and to all applications for patent and patents for said inventions, in all countries of the world, including all divisions, reissues, continuations, substitutions and extensions thereof and all rights arising under or pursuant to any and all international agreements, treaties or laws related to the protection of industrial property, including rights of priority, resulting from the filing of any of said applications, the same to be held and enjoyed by said Assignee, for his own use and enjoyment and the use and enjoyment of his successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

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