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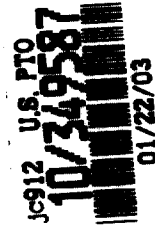
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To: Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

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1. Name of conveying party(ies)
a) Kazuhiko KATO
2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
a) Name: TOKAI RUBBER INDUSTRIES, LTD.
Address: 1, Higashi 3 chome
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3. Nature of conveyance

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Execution Date: January 14, 2003

4. Application Number(s) or Patent Number(s):

The title of the (new) application is:

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FLUID-FILLED VIBRATION DAMPING DEVICE

5. Please send all correspondence concerning this (these) documents to:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION
(Accompanying Application)

米国特許証
第 112,9224P 号
昭和 47 年 12 月 14 日 特許

Whereas I/we the undersigned inventor(s) have invented certain new and useful improvements as set forth in the patent application entitled:

FLUID-FILLED VIBRATION DAMPING DEVICE

for which I (we) have executed an application for a United States Letters Patent.

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I/We the undersigned inventor(s) hereby:

1) Sell(s), assign(s) and transfer(s) to TOKAI RUBBER INDUSTRIES, LTD., a corporation having a place of business at 1, Higashi 3 chome, Komaki-shi, Aichi-ken, 485-8550, Japan, (hereinafter referred to as ("ASSIGNEE")), the entire right title and interest in any and all improvements and inventions disclosed in, application(s) based upon, and Patent(s) (including foreign patents) granted upon the information which is disclosed in the above referenced application.

2) Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patents resulting from said application or any division(s), continuation(s), substitutes(s) or reissue(s) thereof to the ASSIGNEE.

3) Agree to execute all papers and documents and, entirely at the ASSIGNEE's expense, perform any acts which are reasonably necessary in connection with the prosecution of said application, as well as any derivative and applications thereof, foreign applications based thereon, and/or the enforcement of patents resulting from such applications.

4) Agree that the terms, covenants and conditions of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of the Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representative, and shall be binding upon the inventor(s), as well as the inventor's heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

5) Warrant and represent that I/we have not entered, and will not enter into any assignment, contract, or understanding that conflicts with this assignment.

Signed on the date(s) indicated beside my (our) signature(s).

1) Signature: Kazuhiko Kato Date: January 14, 2003
Typed Name: Kazuhiko KATO

This assignment should preferably be signed before a Notary Public if within the United States of America. If outside the United States of America, then it should be signed before two witnesses who also sign below:

1) Signature: Akira Omokawa Date: January 14, 2003

2) Signature: Fukuyoshi Kawakatsu Date: January 14, 2003

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