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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Michael J. Gottschalk, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 115 Ballymore Court, Granville, Ohio 44023, is the inventor of certain new and useful improvements in STEERING KNUCKLE AND ADJUSTABLE BOSS, said improvements (invention) being described in an application for Letters Patent similarly titled and executed simultaneously herewith; and

WHEREAS, The Boler Company., having its principal place of business at 500 Park Boulevard, Ste. 1010, Itasca, Illinois 60143, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefore in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration, I, the said Michael J. Gottschalk, having sold, assigned and transferred, and by these present, do sell, assign, and transfer unto The Boler Company. my entire right, title and interest in and to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and my entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefore in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, and extensions thereof.

I HEREBY authorize and request the Patent Office officials in the United States and in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all said Letters Patent, when granted, to said The

Boler Company., for the sole use and enjoyment of said The Boler Company., its successors and assigns.

FURTHER, I agree that I would communicate to said The Boler Company., or its representatives, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisions, continuations, substitutions, renewal and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said The Boler Company., make all rightful oaths, and, in general, do everything necessary or desirable to aid said The Boler Company., its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 31 day of

JAN., 2003.



Michael J. Gottschalk