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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I/we, Tetsuo lida, Takao Kobayashi, Hiromitsu Sasaki,
Kenzo Shimada, and Masanori Shin
have invented new and useful improvements inLAWN MOWER
for which we have prepared an application for Letters Patent of the United States
of America;
AND WHEREAS, Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha
1-1, Minami-Aoyama 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan
is desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be
obtained therefor;
NOW, THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for
and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable
consideration to us in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,
we have assigned, sold and transferred and by these presents do hereby
assign, sell and transfer unto the said Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha
for the territory of the United States of
America, our entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention, and in
and to the said application, prepared and executed by us on January 28,
20_03, filed, preparatory
to obtaining Letters Patent thereon and in and to any and all divisions, reissues
and continuations thereof, and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted
thereon; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed
by the said Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha
its legal representatives and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would

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have been held by <u>us</u> had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made. AND, we hereby covenant and agree that we will at any time upon the request and at the expense of said assignee execute and deliver any and all papers and do all lawful acts that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said invention and to obtain Letters Patent therefor, and we hereby authorize and request the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the said Letters Patent to the said ____Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki <u>Kaisha</u> in accordance with this assignment. Executed this 28th day of January, , 2003 at Saitama Witness: rigeo Buyamolos Tetsuo lida (L.S.) Tetsuo lida Fakar Kobayashi (L.S.) Takao Kobayashi Hiromitsu Sasaki Kenzo Shimada

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