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WHEREAS, we,

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have made new and useful improvements in **SUPPORT STRUCTURE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE**, for which an application for Letters Patent was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 24, 2003, Serial No. 10/376,002; and

WHEREAS **DaimlerChrysler AG**, having a place of business at **Epplestrasse 225, 70567 Stuttgart, Federal Republic of Germany**, who, together with their successors and assigns, are hereinafter called "Assignee," are desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits, and privileges hereinafter recited,

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to us, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby, without reservations:

1. Assign, transfer, and convey to Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions and discoveries, said application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions and discoveries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute and continuation applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or discoveries, or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patent, reissues, and extensions of Letters Patent granted for said inventions and discoveries or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said discoveries, said applications, and said Letters Patent.

2. Authorize Assignee to file patent applications in any or all countries for any or all of said inventions and discoveries in our names or in the name of Assignee or otherwise as Assignee may deem advisable, under an International Convention or otherwise.

3. Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein or otherwise as Assignee may direct.

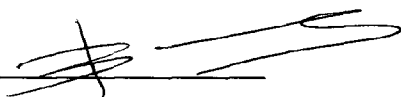
4. Warrant that we have not conveyed to others any right, title, or interest in said inventions, discoveries, applications, or patents or any license to use the same or to make, use, or sell anything embodying or utilizing any of said inventions or discoveries; that we have good right to assign the same to Assignee without encumbrance; and that we are aware of no claim to the contrary.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 22nd day
of august, 2003.



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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 3 day
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 23 day
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