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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, WE, DANIEL J. TALKEN, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 399 Hermosa Court, Lafayette, CA 94549 and CHARLES D. RIZUTTI, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 1483 Hull Lane, Martinez, CA 94553, have jointly made an invention entitled LOAD CHANGE SAFETY SYSTEM, Attorney's Docket No. MGM/196 and have on OCTOBER 14²⁰⁰³, 2003 executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America based thereon;

WHEREAS, GEO. M. MARTIN COMPANY, a corporation of California having its principal office at 1250 67th Street, Emeryville, CA 94608, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said DANIEL J. TALKEN and CHARLES D. RIZUTTI by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said GEO. M. MARTIN COMPANY, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention and application, and in and to any division, continuation or continuation-in-part, of said application, and in and to any and all Letters Patent and reissues and extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted on any of the foregoing to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by us had this assignment and transfer not been made;

We hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale;

We do further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors and administrators to execute and deliver without further consideration but at the expense of GEO. M. MARTIN COMPANY, any further applications, assignments and documents, and to perform such other acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the GEO. M. MARTIN COMPANY, its successors, assigns, and nominees, fully to secure its interests as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent in any and all countries;

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And we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon any of the said applications, to the said GEO. M. MARTIN COMPANY, as the assignee of the entire interest therein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto signed our names on the day and year set forth below.



Daniel J. Talken
SIGNED at Emeryville, CALIFORNIA.
(city)

Dated: 10-14-03



Charles D. Rizutti RIZZUTTI, Inc
SIGNED at Emeryville, CALIFORNIA.
(city)

Dated: 10-14-03

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California

County of ALAMEDA

On 14 Oct 2003 before me, personally
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~~personally known to me~~ (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) ~~is~~ are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that ~~he~~ she/they executed the same in ~~his~~ her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by ~~his~~ her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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