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No 5. Name and address of party to whom 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: correspondence concerning document should be mailed: THOMAS L. TAROLLI, ESQ. Name: 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$40.00 Internal Address: Tarolli, Sundheim, Covell, Authorized to be charged to deposit account. Tummino & Szabo L L P. 1111 Leader Building 8. Deposit Account No. Street Address: 526 Superior Avenue City: Cleveland State: Ohio Zip: 44114-1400 (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account) DO NOT USE SPACE Statement and signature. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document THOMAS L. TAROLLI <u>10-21-03</u> Name of Person Signing Signature Date Reg. No. 20,177 Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 2

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Matthias HELMSTETTER, of Blütenstrase 44, 63743 Aschaffenburg, Federal Republic of Germany, have made new and useful improvements in

> Gas Bag Module and Vehicle Steering Wheel comprising such Gas Bag Module

WHEREAS,

TRW Automotive Safety Systems GmbH

a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany, having a place of business at

Hefner-Alteneck-Strasse 11, 63743 Aschaffenburg

Federal Republic of Germany,

is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements and all patents therefor to be obtained in the United States of America and countries foreign to the United States:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for valuable considerations to me paid, the receipt whereof is hereby Matthias HELMSTETTER , do hereby assign, sell and set over onto the said acknowledged, I, the said TRW Automotive Safety Systems GmbH , its successors or assigns; the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid improvements and any and all inventions pertaining thereto, the application for United States patent executed by me on the day of October 2003, all patents granted therefor in the United States of America and elsewhere, and the right to apply for patents therefor in all countries foreign to the United States and to claim for such applications the priority of United States applications, and I hereby request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue such patents to the said its successors or assigns; and I further agree to execute such other applications and other instruments and do all other acts as may be deemed neccessary by the said. TRW Automotive Safety Systems GmbH its successors or assigns in order fully to secure, protect, and preserve its rights to the said improvements and to obtain patents therefor

in the United States of America and all countries foreign to the United States, all without further consideration but at the expense of the said, TRW Automotive Safety Systems GmbH its successors or assigns.

Executed this 10. day of October 200

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