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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies)

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Andrew Lakerdas, 39 Monte Vista Cr., London, Ontario, Canada
John E. Makaran, 119 Odessa Avenue, London, Ontario, Canada
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Peter A. Kershaw, 224 Optimist Park Drive, London, Ontario, Canada
Martin Volkening, 261 Wildgoose Road, London, Ontario, Canada

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Siemens VDO Automotive Inc.

Internal Address:

Street Address: 700 Park Avenue East

City: Chatham State: Ontario ZIP: N7M 5M7

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ___ Yes X No

3. Nature of conveyance:

X Assignment ___ Merger
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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: one

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ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, we, Andrew Lakerdas, residing at 39 Monte Vista Cr., London, Ontario, Canada; Attila Simofi-Ilyes, residing at 1234 Florence Street, London Ontario Canada; John E. Makaran, residing at 119 Odessa Ave., London Ontario, Canada; Corneliu Dragoi, residing at 840 Redoak Avenue, London, Ontario, Canada; Peter A. Kershaw, residing at 224 Optimist Park Drive, London, Ontario, Canada; and, Martin Volkening, residing at 261 Wildgoose Road, London Ontario, Canada,

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to Siemens VDO Automotive Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the federal laws of Canada, having its principal place of business at 700 Park Avenue East, Chatham, Ontario, Canada, N7M 5M7, hereinafter "Assignee", its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent, which has been executed by the undersigned even date herewith, entitled:

**FLUX MODIFIER FOR PERMANENT MAGNET BRUSH-TYPE MOTOR
USING WOUND FIELD COILS COMBINED WITH PERMANENT MAGNETS**

and in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said improvements; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on said improvements;

Agree that said Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said improvements in its own name; and that, when requested, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all said improvements; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said improvements and the history thereof; and generally do everything

possible which said Assignee, its successors, assigns or legal representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection for said improvements and for vesting title to said improvements and all applications for patents and all patents on said improvements, in said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives; and

Covenant with said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

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