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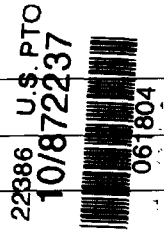
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WHEREAS, the said **Johny P.C. COLPAERT** [hereinafter referred to as the Inventor] is in the employ of the said CNH Belgium N.V. within the jurisdiction of the Laws of Belgium and is the true and first Inventor of an invention [hereinafter referred to as the Invention] entitled "**Grain tank cover for an agricultural harvester.**" the application for United States patent describing said Invention executed concurrently herewith and the Convention Priority Claim based on British patent application number 0313541.5, filed on June 12, 2003.

AND WHEREAS, the said **CNH BELGIUM N.V.** is joining in the execution of this Assignment Agreement to convey all right, title and interest in the Invention as described below and vested therein by virtue of the contract of employment with the Inventor and by virtue of any other agreements or rights of law or equity.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of one dollar and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignors hereby sell, assign, and transfer to the Assignee the entire right, title and interest in the country of the United States of America in and to the Invention and in and to any patent application and patent granted thereon filed in said country, and including all divisions, reissues, continuations, and extensions of any such patent application and of all corresponding right of priority resulting from the filing thereof, and authorize and request that any and all said patents be issued to said Assignee, or its successors and assigns. The Assignors covenant that they have full rights and power to enter into this Assignment Agreement and agree that they will communicate to the Assignee or its representative, all facts known to them respecting the Invention, whenever requested, and that they will testify or provide access to personnel to testify in any legal proceeding, and that they will sign all lawful papers, execute all division, continuation and reissue applications, and make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the Assignee, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the Invention in said country.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF the Assignors have caused this Agreement to be executed on the day and year first above written.

CNH BELGIUM N.V.

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