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## ASSIGNMENT BY INVENTORS

**THIS ASSIGNMENT**, made by Jason W. Dahms, David S. Densel and Ryan J. Williams (hereinafter referred to as Assignors), residing at 19964 Range Line Road, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402; 6602 North Street, Whitehouse, Ohio 43571; and 7721 Bonniebrook Courtyard, Sylvania, Ohio 43560; respectively;

**WHEREAS**, Assignors have invented certain new and useful improvements in COUPLING ASSEMBLY, set forth in a Patent application for Letters Patent of the United States, filed on January 28, 2005, as application No. 11/046,169; and

**WHEREAS**, EATON CORPORATION, a Corporation organized under and pursuant to the laws of Ohio having its principal place of business at Eaton Center, 1111 Superior Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2584 (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said Application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefore and thereon.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions and application for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all direct and indirect divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application, and any and all Letters Patent in the United States and all foreign countries which may be granted therefore and thereon, and reissues, reexaminations and extensions of said Letters Patent, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and benefit and the use and benefit of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent may be granted and/or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors, had this sale and assignment not been made.

**AND** for the same consideration, Assignors hereby represent and warrant to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, except for any rights, titles and/or interests that have arisen to Assignee under law or that have already been transferred to Assignee, Assignors are the sole and lawful owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions and application for Letters Patent above-mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered and that Assignors have good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

**AND** for the same consideration, Assignors hereby covenant and agree to and with Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that Assignors will sign all papers and documents, take all lawful oaths and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of any Letters Patent and applications for Letters Patent for said inventions, without charge to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, whenever counsel of Assignee, or counsel of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, shall advise: that any proceeding in connection with said inventions, or said Patent application for Letters Patent, or any proceeding in connection with any Letters Patent or applications for Letters Patent for said inventions in any country, including but not limited to interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable; or, that any division, continuation or continuation-in-part of any application for Letters Patent, or any reissue, reexamination or extension of any Letters Patent, to be obtained thereon, is lawful and desirable.

**AND** Assignors hereby request the Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of the United States to Assignee, as Assignee of said inventions and the Letters Patent to be issued thereon, for the sole use and benefit of Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

**AND** Assignors hereby grant the following individuals the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document:

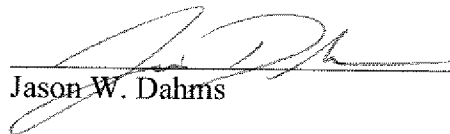
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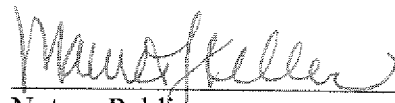
AND Assignors acknowledge an obligation of assignment of this invention to Assignee at the time the invention was made.

  
Jason W. Dahms

Date: 2/9/05

United States of America                    )  
State of                    OH                    ) ss.:  
County of                    Lucas                    )

On this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2004, before me personally came Jason W. Dahms, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

  
Notary Public

MAUREEN J. KELLER  
Notary Public, State Of Ohio  
My Commission Expires 9-01-05

David S. Densel  
David S. Densel

Date: 02/09/05

United States of America )  
State of OH ) ss.:  
County of Lucas )

On this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2004, before me personally came David S. Densel, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

MAUREEN J. KELLER  
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Maureen J. Keller  
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Ryan J. Williams  
Ryan J. Williams

Date: 2-9-05

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On this 9<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2004, before me personally came Ryan J. Williams, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

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