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11/135098

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, new and useful improvements have been made by the undersigned in

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that are the subject of an application for a U.S. Patent, (Application No. 11/135098,  
filed 05/23/2005), which application is further identified as Rankin, Hill, Porter  
& Clark LLP Docket No. SHG-16114.

WHEREAS, Honda Motor Co., Ltd., a corporation of Japan, and having a place of  
business at 1-1, Minamiaoyama 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan, hereinafter referred  
to as "assignee", is desirous of acquiring all right, title, and interest throughout the world  
in, to, and under said improvements and inventions and patent rights therefor.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that, for valuable consideration, the receipt and  
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this assignment has been executed below by the undersigned:

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Signature: Yoshio Abe.  
Today's Date : May 16, 2005

Witness: Yoshihide Osada  
Witness: Junichi Kikuchi

(2) Inventor Name (joint): Yasuhiro MORISAKI  
Signature: Yasuhiro Morisaki  
Today's Date : May 16, 2005

Witness: Yoshihide Osada  
Witness: Junichi Kikuchi

(3) Inventor Name (joint): \_\_\_\_\_  
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(4) Inventor Name (joint): \_\_\_\_\_  
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