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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, JÖRN MEY, ANDREAS KISTNER, ANDREAS FIRSCHING, FRANK WUCHERPFFENNING, JOACHIM SEYDELL, and IRAKLIS AVRAMOPOULOS, citizens of Germany, Germany, Germany, Germany, Germany, and Greece, respectively, and residing at Rehnaerstraße 8b, 23897 Mölin, Germany; Martin-Luther-Straße 45, 63607 Wächtersbach, Germany; Einsthofstraße 6, 63739 Aschaffenburg, Germany; Am Okerufer 6b, 38302 Wolfenbüttel, Germany; Breslauer Str. 33, 38518 Gifhorn, Germany; and Wannseestraße 6, 14482 Berlin, Germany, respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a FUEL SYSTEM FOR AN LPG ENGINE for which a patent application was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on November 6, 2003 and bears Serial No. 10/703,199.

AND, WHEREAS,

LINDE AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT, a corporation of Germany, having a place of business at Abramam-Lincoln-Straße 21, D-65189 Wiesbaden, Germany; and

Volkswagen AG, a corporation of Germany, having a place of business at 38436 Wolfsburg, Germany,

hereinafter called the "assignees", are desirous of acquiring the entire, right, title, and interest in and to said application and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration paid to us by said assignees, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby assign, sell, transfer, and set over unto said assignees the entire right, title and interest in and to said applications and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign countries and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor in the United States and all foreign countries and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, said assignees to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full ends of the terms of said Letters Patent and any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment not been made.

The Commissioner for Patents is requested to issue such Letters Patent in accordance herewith. We covenant that we are the lawful owners of the said application, inventions, and improvements, that the same are unencumbered, that no license has been granted to make, use, or vend the said inventions or improvements or any of them, and that we have the full right to make this assignment.

And for the consideration aforesaid, we agree jointly and individually that we will communicate to said assignees or the representatives thereof any facts known to us respecting said inventions and improvements, and will, upon request, but without expense to us, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, continuation-in-part, renewal, and/or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by said assignees or by counsel for said assignees, to assist or enable said assignees to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. This assignment shall be binding upon our heirs, executors, administrators, and/or assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and/or assigns, as the case may be, of said assignees.

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