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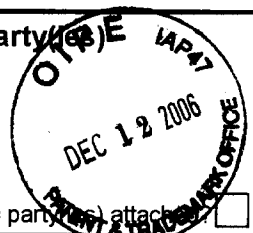


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# **Assignment of Application for United States Patent**

WHEREAS: Richard Vanderpoel

(hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR"), having invented and owning a certain invention entitled:

## **FINGER FOLLOWER LOST MOTION VALVE ACTUATION SYSTEM WITH LOCATING LINK**

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed on September 21, 2006 and assigned United States application number 11/524,292.

WHEREAS: Jacobs Vehicle Systems, Inc.  
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United States of America

(hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to, and under said invention and in, to, and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefore in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNORS of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign, and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and to all Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute, or reissue thereof, or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, including the right to recover for any and all past infringement of any Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention prior to the date of this Assignment.

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