

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:

Grant of Security Interest

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Execution Date
Meridian Automotive Systems - Composites Operations, Inc.	01/24/2007

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, as Collateral Agent
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State/Country:	NEW YORK
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PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 29

Property Type	Number
Patent Number:	6475424
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GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST  
IN UNITED STATES PATENTS  
(ABL SECURITY AGREEMENT)

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Meridian Automotive Systems – Composites Operations, Inc., a Michigan corporation (the “Grantor”) with principal offices at 999 Republic Drive, Allen Park, MI 48101, hereby grants to Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, as Collateral Agent under the below-described Security Agreement, with principal offices at 60 Wall Street, New York, NY 10006, (the “Grantee”), a security interest in (i) all of the Grantor’s rights, title and interest in and to the United States patents (the “Patents”) set forth on Schedule A attached hereto, in each case together with (ii) all Proceeds (as such term is defined in the Security Agreement referred to below) and products of the Patents, and (iii) all causes of action arising prior to or after the date hereof for infringement of any of the Patents or unfair competition regarding the same.

THIS GRANT is made to secure the satisfactory performance and payment of all the Obligations of the Grantor, as such term is defined in the ABL Security Agreement among the Grantor, the other Assignors from time to time party thereto and the Grantee, dated as of December 29, 2006 (as amended, modified, restated and/or supplemented from time to time, the “Security Agreement”). Upon the occurrence of the Termination Date (as defined in the Security Agreement), the Grantee shall execute, acknowledge, and deliver to the Grantor an instrument in writing releasing the security interest in the Patents acquired under this Grant.

This Grant has been granted in conjunction with the security interest granted to the Grantee under the Security Agreement. The rights and remedies of the Grantee with respect to the security interest granted herein are as set forth in the Security Agreement, all terms and provisions of which are incorporated herein by reference. In the event that any provisions of this Grant are deemed to conflict with the Security Agreement, the provisions of the Security Agreement shall govern.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Grant as of the  
24th day of January, 2007.

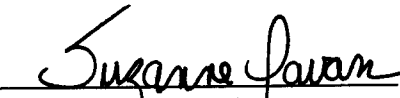
MERIDIAN AUTOMOTIVE SYSTEMS –  
COMPOSITES OPERATIONS, INC., Grantor

By:   
Name: Matthew K. Paroly  
Title: Vice President

STATE OF MICHIGAN     )  
                                      ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF OAKLAND    )

On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2007, before me personally came Matthew K. Paroly who, being by me duly sworn, did state as follows: that he is Vice President of Meridian Automotive Systems – Composites Operations, Inc., that he is authorized to execute the foregoing Grant on behalf of said company and that he did so by authority of the Board of Directors of said company.

SUZANNE JAVORS  
Notary Public, Oakland County, MI  
My Commission Expires 08/28/2008

  
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Notary Public

DEUTSCHE BANK TRUST COMPANY  
AMERICAS,  
as Collateral Agent and Grantee

By: Marguerite Sutton  
Name: MARGUERITE SUTTON  
Title: DIRECTOR

By: Carin Keegan  
Name: Carin Keegan  
Title: Vice President

STATE OF New York )  
COUNTY OF New York ) ss:

On this 28 day of December, 2006, before me personally came Marguerite Sutton who, being by me duly sworn, did state as follows: that [s]he is Director of Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, that [s]he is authorized to execute the foregoing Grant on behalf of said corporation and that [s]he did so by authority of the Board of Directors of said corporation.

Maureen E Thomas  
Notary Public  
MAUREEN E. THOMAS  
Notary Public - State of New York  
No. 01TH6098264  
Qualified in Bronx County  
Certified in New York County  
My Commission Expires 9/08/2007

STATE OF New York,  
COUNTY OF New York ) ss:

On this 28 day of December, 2006, before me personally came Carin  
Heegan who, being by me duly sworn, did state as follows: that [s]he is  
Vice President of Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, that [s]he is authorized to  
execute the foregoing Grant on behalf of said corporation and that [s]he did so by authority of  
the Board of Directors of said corporation.

Maureen E Thomas  
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Edge Seal Process and Product	5,993,906	11-30-99
Cutting Apparatus and Cutting Process for Hollow Plastic Molded Articles	5,967,010	10-19-99
Process for Manufacturing Fiber Preforms and an Apparatus for the Process	5,935,509	08-10-99
Baby Seat	5,806,924	09-15-98
Methods of Making Preforms for Resin Transfer Molding	5,733,494	03-31-98
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