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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS We, Kenneth J. MALONEY, W. Keith DUBOSE, E. Douglass WHITTAKER, Robert G. MOORE, and Jared M. ACOSTA,, are joint inventors of an invention titled CATAMARAN AIR CUSHION SHIP WITH FOLDING, RETRACTABLE SEALS, an application for United States Letters Patent for which was filed on 20 November 2006, and bearing Serial No. 11/561,691 and an International Application for which was filed on 14 December 2006, and bearing application number PCT/US06/62101; and,

WHEREAS, TEXTRON INC., a corporation created and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention throughout the world, and all right, title and interest in, to and under any and all Letters Patent of the United States and all other countries throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid by TEXTRON INC. and for other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to TEXTRON INC., all right, title and interest in and to the said invention throughout the world, and said application for U.S. Letters Patent, and any and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, and reissues thereof, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be granted therefor, the same to be held and enjoyed by TEXTRON INC. for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns, or other legal representatives, to the end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent of the United States or foreign countries are or may be granted or reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this assignment and sale had not been made.

And we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States on said invention or resulting from said application and from any and all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, and reissues thereof, to TEXTRON INC., as assignee of our entire interest, and hereby covenant that we have the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

And we further hereby covenant and agree that we will, at any time, upon request, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title of said invention and to such Letters Patent as may be granted therefor, to TEXTRON INC., its successors, assigns, or other legal representatives and that if TEXTRON INC., its successors, assigns or other legal representatives shall desire to file any divisional, continuation, or continuation-in-part applications

or to secure a reissue of such Letters Patent, or to file a disclaimer relating thereto, will upon request, sign all papers, make all rightful oaths and do all lawful acts requisite for the filing of such divisional, continuation, or continuation-in-part application, or such application for reissue and the procuring thereof, and for the filing of such disclaimer, without further compensation but at the expense of said assignee, its successors, or other legal representatives.

And we do further covenant and agree that we will, at any time upon request, communicate to TEXTRON INC., its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, such facts relating to said invention and Letters Patent or the file history thereof as may be known to us, and testify as to the same in any interference or other litigation when requested so to do, without further compensation but at the expense of said assignee, its successors, or other legal representatives.

EXECUTED THIS 2 day o	f <u>March</u> , 2007.
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	Kenneth J. MALONEY
STATE OF LOUISIANA	§
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Kenneth J. Maloney, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and seal of office this 2 day of Man CL.,

NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE STATE OF LOUISIANA MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

> Wendall Genzales Hilker, Notary Public #49261 My coramission expires with my life

EXECUTED THIS day of	march, 2007.
	W. Keith DUBOSE
STATE OF LOUISIANA	§
PARISH OF <u>St. Tammen</u>	§
known to me to be the person whose na acknowledged to me that he executed the same	erity, on this day personally appeared W. Keith Dubose, time is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and the for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.
	NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE STATE OF LOUISIANA MY COMMISSION EXPIRES  Wendall Gonzales Hilker, Notary Public #49261
	My commission expires with my life

EXECUTED THIS day of	march ,200 7.
	E. Douglass WHITTAKER
STATE OF LOUISIANA  PARISH OF St. Tammam	§ s
BEFORE ME, the undersigned auth Whittaker, known to me to be the person who	hority, on this day personally appeared E. Douglass ose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and se	eal of office this $\frac{Z}{day}$ of $\frac{Max}{day}$ ,
	NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE STATE OF LOUISIANA MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

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EXECUTED THIS 2nd day of	MARCH , 2007.
	Robert G. MOORE
STATE OF LOUISIANA	§
PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY	§
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EXECUTED THIS 2 day of MARCH, 2007.
Jared M. ACOSTA
STATE OF LOUISIANA § PARISH OF <u>ST. Tamman</u> §
BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Jared M. Acosta, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and seal of office this day of

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