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<u>ASSIGNMENT</u>

WHEREAS, TOYOTA JIDOSHA KABUSHIKI KAISHA, a company

established under the laws of Japan whose address is 1, Toyota-cho, Toyota-shi, Aichi-ken, 471-8571 Japan (hereinafter called "Assignor") is a co-owner by assignment duly recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at the Reel and Frame indicated below of the following patent application (hereinafter called "Patent Properties"):

Application or Patent Number and Date of	Named <u>Inventors</u>	Reel <u>and Frame</u>
Filing or Issue Application No. 10/969,014 filed October 21, 2004	Masahiko KIMBARA; Daigoro MORI; Takehiro NITO; Hidehito KUBO; and Makoto TSUZUKI	Reel 016072/Frame 0727

The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title identified above; and to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the Assignor. The undersigned is empowered to sign this Assignment on behalf of the Assignor.

WHEREAS, KABUSHIKI KAISHA TOYOTA JIDOSHOKKI, a company cetablished under the laws of Japan, whose address is 2-1, Toyoda-cho, Kariya-shi, Aichi-ken, 448-0848 Japan (hereinafter called "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest for the United States, its territories, dependencies and possessions, in and to said Patent Properties (and/or patents that may be granted therefrom), including any and all provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuation, international, design, confirmation, substitute and reissue application(s) or extensions of the same.

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Assignor covenants that it has full right to convey the interest herein assigned and that it has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

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