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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, we, M. Jason Thurmond and Avery D. Long, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the following: "VIRTUAL BRANCH LOAD MANAGEMENT," for which we have made application for United States Letters Patent; and,

WHEREAS, SQUARE D COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at Palatine, Illinois, (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, and in and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to said applications and all patents which may be granted therefore, and all provisionals, divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, continuation-in-part and extensions thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as our interest is concerned, to the said ASSIGNEE of our entire right, title and interest.

We also hereby sell and assign to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the full and exclusive rights, title and interest to the invention disclosed in said applications throughout the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents, utility models, industrial models and designs for said invention in its own name throughout the world including all rights of priority, all rights to publish cautionary notices reserving ownership of said invention and all rights to register said invention in appropriate registries; and

We further agree to execute any and all powers of attorney, applications, assignments, declarations, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such rights, title and interest in ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

We hereby further agree that we will communicate to said ASSIGNEE, or its successors, assigns and legal representatives, any facts known to us respecting any improvements; and, at the expense of said ASSIGNEE, to testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and substitute applications, make all lawful oaths, and generally do everything possible to vest title in said ASSIGNEE and to aid said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

We further authorize and direct our attorneys to insert below\* the serial number and filing date of said application now identified as Docket No. SPL-0068/247181-000370USPT as soon as the same shall have been made known to them by the United States Patent Office.

\*Serial Number:

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STATE OF Jennessee COUNTY OF Rutherford

On this 20th day of September, 2007, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared M. Jason Thurmond, known by me to be the person of the above name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

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My Commission Expires:

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Executed this 21 day of 245 ptc-12007. Name: Address: 4246 Avian Lane Madison, Alabama 35758 STATE OF COUNTY OF Mad 150 On this 24 day of Schember \_, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Avery D. Long, known by me to be the person of the above name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

Notary Public

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