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**ASSIGNMENT – PATENT APPLICATION  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

Whereas, we Sotaro IWABUCHI and Shungo FUJITA

citizens of Japan, and residing at c/o BRIDGESTONE CORPORATION, 10-1, Kyobashi

1-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan (hereinafter "Assignor") have invented certain new and useful

improvements in Tire Sidewall

for which application to Letters of Patent in the United States of America ☐ is about to be filed; ☐ has been filed;

And whereas, BRIDGESTONE CORPORATION of 10-1, Kyobashi 1-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

Now, Therefore, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for good and valuable consideration (the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged) the Assignor has assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does assign, transfer and set over unto the said Assignee for the territory of the United States of America, the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to the said invention, as fully set forth and described in the specification

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including any division, continuation, substitute or renewal application thereof; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent is granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the Assignor had this assignment and transfer not been made.

Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all such Letters Patent for said invention to said Assignee.

In testimony whereof, the Assignor has hereunto set his hand this

26th day of November, 2007

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