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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION
WHEREAS, HIROYUKI OKOOCHI
of Sakai-ku, Sakai City, Osaka, Japan
nereinafter referred to as "Assignor," is the inventor of the invention described and set forth in the pelow identified application for United States Letters Patent:
Invention Title: A BICYCLE HUB TRANSMISSION WITH A POWER CONTROL
MECHANISM FOR A SHIFT ASSIST MECHANISM
Date of execution of Declaration:December 13, 2007
Filing date: November 20, 2007

Attorney Docket No. SIC-07-013

WHEREAS, Shimano, Inc., a Japanese corporation, located at 3-77 Oimatsu-cho, Sakai-ku, Sakai City, Osaka, Japan, hereinafter referred to as "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring Assignor's interest in the invention and application and in any Letters Patent which may be granted on the same;

Serial No.: <u>11/942,987</u>; and

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer to Assignee, and to Assignee's successors and assigns, all of Assignor's right title and interest in and to the invention and application, and in and to any Letters Patent which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States, the said interest to be held and enjoyed by Assignee as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this Assignment and transfer not been made, to the full end and term of any Letters Patent which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

Assignor further agrees that Assignor will, without charge to Assignee, but at Assignee's expense, cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of said application and/or applications, execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all such further papers, including applications for Letters Patent and for the reissue thereof, and instruments of assignment and transfer thereof, and will perform such other acts as Assignee lawfully may request, to obtain or maintain Letters Patent for said invention, and to vest title thereto in Assignee, or in Assignee's successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has signed his/her name on the date indicated.

Hiroyuki Okoochi Date: Dec. 13.2007
HIROYUKI OKOOCHI

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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION
WHEREAS, TETSUYA HINO of Sakai-ku, Sakai City, Osaka, Japan hereinafter referred to as "Assignor," is the inventor of the invention described and set forth in the below identified application for United States Letters Patent:
Invention Title: <u>A BICYCLE HUB TRANSMISSION WITH A POWER CONTROL</u> MECHANISM FOR A SHIFT ASSIST MECHANISM
Date of execution of Declaration :December 13, 2007
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Serial No.: <u>11/942,987</u> ; and
WHEREAS, Shimano, Inc., a Japanese corporation, located at 3-77 Oimatsu-cho, Sakai-ku, Sakai City, Osaka, Japan, hereinafter referred to as "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring Assignor's interest in the invention and application and in any Letters Patent which may be granted on the same;
NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignor, Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer to Assignee, and to Assignee's successors and assigns, all of Assignor's right title and interest in and to the invention and application, and in and to any Letters Patent which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States, the said interest to be held and enjoyed by Assignee as fully and exclusively as it

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extension thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has signed his/her name on the date indicated.

Tetsuya Hino Date: Dec. 13. 2007
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