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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Albert James Yovichin, Andres Ignacio Delgado, Mary Beth Dombrosky, Mark Anthony Sieverding, of 14690 Galehouse Road, Doylestown, Ohio 44230, USA, 533 Barnhill Drive, Medina, Ohio 44256, USA, 509 Brookpark Drive, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44223, USA, 1465 Springwood Lane, Uniontown, Ohio 44685, USA, respectively, have invented certain improvements in **TIRE BREAKER STRIP APPLICATION METHOD AND TIRE FABRICATED THEREFROM**, and described in a patent application executed the

27th
29th day of October, 2004, by the undersigned for filing in The United States of America, being owner(s) of all right, title and interest in and to said application and in and to any invention described therein and having full right to convey the entire interest both legal and equitable herein assigned; and

WHEREAS, THE GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY, of Akron, Ohio 44316, a corporation of the State of Ohio (assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and said invention described therein and any and all patents to be obtained therefor, all as hereinafter set forth:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration received by the undersigned, the undersigned do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention or inventions, as described in the aforesaid application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid application; and in and to any application filed in any foreign country based thereon, including the right to file said foreign applications under the provisions of the International Convention; also the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents or reissues or extensions thereof to be obtained in this or any foreign country upon said invention or inventions and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or substitute applications which may be filed upon said invention or inventions in this or any foreign country; and the undersigned hereby authorize and request the issuing authority to issue any and all patents on said application or applications to said assignee or its successors and assigns.

The undersigned further agree to execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, improvement, extension, reissue and other patent applications in this or any foreign country relating to said application or invention and to sign all other lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts without further consideration, but without expense to ourselves, which the assignee may deem necessary or desirable to make this Assignment fully effective including by way of example, but not of limitation, the following acts:

- (1) Prompt execution of all lawful oaths, affidavits and/or supplemental oaths required or deemed advisable by the assignee to further the prosecution of any application or applications for letters patent relating to the subject matter of this Assignment;
- (2) To cooperate to the best of our ability in the execution of all lawful documents, the production of evidence, and the giving of testimony in interference, opposition, nullification or infringement proceedings involving the said invention or improvement, applications or patents or any of them.

The undersigned hereby authorize said assignee to insert in this Assignment the serial number and filing date of the above-identified application when known.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto set their hands and seals on the date(s) set after their signatures.

<u>Louis J. Gould</u> WITNESS	(L.S.)	<u>Albert James Yovichin</u> Albert James Yovichin	<u>10/29</u>	2004
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SS:

On this 29th day of October, 2004, before me personally appeared Albert James Yovichin, to me personally known, and known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledge the signing of same as his free act and deed.

Lois J. Gould

Notary Public
Lois J. Gould, Notary Public
Residence - Summit County
State Wide Jurisdiction, Ohio
My Commission Expires October 27, 2006

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SS:

On this 27th day of October, 2004, before me personally appeared Andres Ignacio Delgado, to me personally known, and known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledge the signing of same as his free act and deed.

Lois J. Gould

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On this 29th day of October, 2004, before me personally appeared Mary Beth Dombrosky, to me personally known, and known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledge the signing of same as her free act and deed.

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On this 27th day of October, 2004, before me personally appeared Mark Anthony Sieverding, to me personally known, and known to me to be the person who signed the foregoing assignment, and acknowledge the signing of same as his free act and deed.

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