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WHEREAS **VOLKSWAGEN AG**, having a place of business at **38436 Wolfsburg, Federal Republic of Germany** (hereinafter referred to as **ASSIGNOR**), has been assigned a partial right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. **09/701,064**, entitled "FUEL CELL SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING ELECTRICAL ENERGY USING A FUEL CELL SYSTEM," now U.S. Patent No. **7,045,232**, by virtue of an Assignment document that was recorded in the records of the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 7, 2001 at Reel 011786, Frame 0172 and on September 7, 2004 at Reel 015761, Frame 0174 and to the inventions described and claimed therein; and

WHEREAS **AB VOLVO**, having a place of business at **S-405 08, Göteborg, Sweden** (hereinafter referred to as **ASSIGNEE**), is desirous of acquiring **ASSIGNOR'S** right, title and interest in and to the above-reference application in the United States of America and elsewhere worldwide, and the inventions therein described and claimed;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the good and valuable consideration furnished by **ASSIGNOR** to **ASSIGNEE**, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, **ASSIGNOR** hereby assigns, conveys and transfers to **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns, **ASSIGNOR'S** right, title and interest in and to the said application and the inventions therein contained and described, including the right to apply for any Letters Patent in any and all countries on the inventions, and any Letters Patent that may be or have been issued thereon or therefor, in the United States and elsewhere, and all reissues, extensions, renewals, divisions and continuations thereof, to the full end of the term or terms for which the Letters Patent may be issued or have been issued, the same to be held and enjoyed by **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns, the same as it would have been held and enjoyed by **ASSIGNOR** if this Assignment had not been made.

And **ASSIGNOR** hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks and similar authorities to issue all such Letters Patent to **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns, in accordance with this instrument of Assignment.

ASSIGNOR hereby represents and warrants that there are no rights and interests outstanding inconsistent with the rights and interests granted herein and that it will not execute any instrument or grant or transfer any rights or interests inconsistent therewith, and **ASSIGNOR** binds itself to execute and deliver to **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns, any further documents or instruments and do any and all further acts that may be deemed necessary by **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns, to vest in **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns, the title herein conveyed, or intended so to be, and to enable such title to be recorded in the United States and elsewhere.

And **ASSIGNOR** further covenants and agrees, in consideration of the premises that **ASSIGNOR** will at any time upon request communicate to **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns, any facts relating to the invention and improvements and the history thereof, known to **ASSIGNOR** and that **ASSIGNOR** will testify as to the same in any interference, or other litigation when requested so to do by **ASSIGNEE**, its successors and assigns.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is authorized to act on behalf of
VOLKSWAGEN AG.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, ASSIGNOR has hereunto set its hand and seal this
19 day of April, 2007.

VOLKSWAGEN AG

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