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## ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, FRANK A. TINKER, do hereby assign and transfer unto SYNCARDIA SYSTEMS, INC., a Delaware corporation with main offices at 1992 East Silverlake Road, Tucson, AZ 85713, and unto its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest to a certain invention entitled "SCOTCH-YOKE MECHANISM FOR REDUNDANT ACTUATION APPLICATIONS" described, illustrated and claimed in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, Serial Number 12/498,991, filed on 07/07/2009, together with the entire right, title and interest in and to said Letters Patent, and any division, extension, continuation or reissue thereof.

I also hereby assign and transfer unto said SynCardia Systems, Inc., the entire right, title and interest in applications and patents for the Invention in all countries foreign to the United States of America, including all rights under any and all international conventions and treaties in respect of said Invention and said applications and patents in foreign countries; I authorize said SynCardia Systems, Inc., to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries directly in its own name, and, if applicable, to claim the priority of the filing date of corresponding applications for Letters Patent of the United States of America under the provisions of any and all international conventions and treaties.

I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America to issue Letters Patent upon the aforesaid applications, and division, extension, continuation, continuation-in-part or reissue applications, to SynCardia Systems, Inc., for the sole use and benefit of said SynCardia Systems, Inc., its

successors, assigns and legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, the same as they would have been held and enjoyed by me had this assignment not been made, and I hereby authorize and request the equivalent authorities in foreign countries to issue the patents of their respective countries to said SynCardia Systems, Inc.

I agree that, when requested, I will, without charge to said SynCardia Systems, Inc., but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and/or maintaining patents for said Invention in any and all countries and for vesting title thereto in said SynCardia Systems, Inc., its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

I covenant with said SynCardia Systems, Inc., its successors, assigns and legal representatives, that the interest and property hereby conveyed is free from all prior assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other encumbrance.



FRANK A. TINKER

20-JUN-2009  
Date