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ASSIGNMENT AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The below named inventor(s) own(s) the entire right title and interest to the invention ("the invention") which is the subject of a United States non-provisional patent application and its parent provisional application (individually and collectively, "the Application") entitled:

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PERFORMING DIAGNOSTICS OR SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE FOR A VEHICLE

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which claims priority and the benefit of the filing date based on U.S. Provisional Application No. 61/373,493, filed 13 August 2010.

Pursuant to an agreement between Michael R. Johnson ("first inventor") and Deere & Company, a Delaware corporation having its principal office at Moline, Illinois, as well as other good and valuable consideration paid to the first inventor, the first inventor agrees to assign, and hereby does assign to Deere & Company the entire right, title and interest which said inventor has or may have to the invention and Application.


Daniel Colavita ("second inventor") and Tammy R. Pullen ("third inventor") are each employees or workers of RWD Technologies, LLC, formerly referred to as RWD Technologies, Inc., (collectively and individually "RWD") who have contractual obligation to assign the Invention Application and proprietary rights therein to Deere & Company ("Deere") under Section 6 of the Professional Services Agreement, dated on or about November 8, 2000, between Deere and RWD.

To the extent that any of the above rights were previously assigned to Deere & Company in an assignment of the above provisional application, each of the inventors, acknowledges the assignment in this document and clarifies that all rights in the non-provisional application are hereby assigned to Deere & Company as more fully set forth in this document. The assigned rights include all rights to file US and foreign patent applications for the invention described in the name of each inventor or Deere & Company, as well as any right of priority to any letters patent, provisional application, and patent application of the United States or any other country that may be granted for the invention, and any non-provisional applications, continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions or extensions thereof. These assigned rights are to be held and enjoyed by Deere & Company, its successors or assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by each inventor had this assignment not been made.

Each inventor (among the first, second, and third inventors) agrees to execute all papers which Deere & Company, its successors or assigns deem expedient in connection with the Application and any continuing, divisional, reissue, reexamination or foreign applications concerning the invention, and to cooperate with Deere & Company, its successors or assigns in every proper way possible to obtain patent(s) based on the Application and any continuing, divisional, reissue, reexamination or foreign applications concerning the invention.

Each inventor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any letters patent based on the assigned rights to Deere & Company.


In witness whereof, each inventor has signed below:



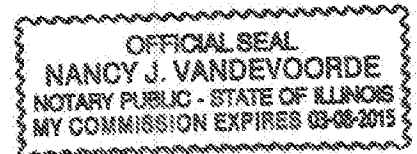
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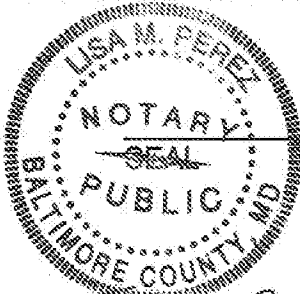




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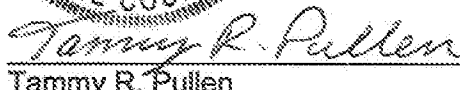
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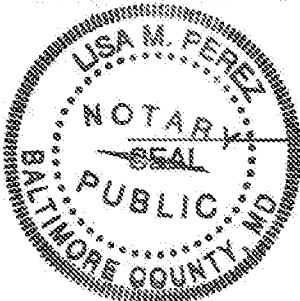
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