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CLAIMING LETTER MEMORANDUM

Inventor: Johannes QUAST

Title: BRIGHTNESS ADJUSTMENT SYSTEM

Re: Patent Application Serial No. 13/766,569 - Filed on. February 13, 2013

To: Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Harman Becker Automotive Systems, GmbH, a German Company, having a place of business at **Becker-Görling-Str. 16, 76307 Karlsbad, Germany**, in accordance with the provisions of § 6 of the German Act On Employee Inventions (**German Law**), has perfected an unlimited claim to the invention of **Johannes Quast**, as described in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. **13/766,569** (hereafter, the "Invention"). The unlimited claim to the Invention was perfected by the attached written declaration that was sent to **Johannes Quast** (hereafter, the "Inventor") on **October 26, 2010**.

Pursuant to German law, **Harman Becker Automotive Systems GmbH** has claimed without limitation the right, title, and interest in and to the Invention that was previously possessed by the Inventor. **In addition, the unlimited claim to the Invention by Harman Becker Automotive Systems GmbH on October 27, 2010, claimed without limitation the right, title, and interest in and to the invention of the Inventor as is described in European patent application EP 122 155.650.0, filed February 15, 2012 in the name of Harman Becker Automotive Systems GmbH from which the above-referenced patent application claims priority.** Further, the unlimited claim to the Invention by **Harman Becker Automotive Systems GmbH** as of **October 27, 2010**, has claimed without limitation the right, title and interest in and to any and all counterpart foreign patent applications filed in the name of **Harman Becker Automotive Systems GmbH** that claim priority from the above-referenced patent application **EP 122 155.650.0**, and any and all letters patent or patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefore and thereon, including the right to claim for any such application, all benefits and priority rights under any applicable convention. The unlimited claim in and to the Invention by **Harman Becker Automotive Systems GmbH** on **October 27, 2010**, also claimed without limitation the

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Respectfully submitted,



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Inanspruchnahme einer Erfindung
 §§ 6, 7 Abs. 1 Gesetz über Arbeitnehmererfindungen

Claiming of an invention
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Eingangsdatum/Data of receipt: 22-Okt-2010
Erfinder/Inventors: Johannes Quast, Kay-Ulrich Scholl, Bernd Gassmann

Sehr geehrter Herr Quast,

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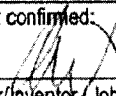
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Yours sincerely
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