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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I,

John E. RODE, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 544 Persse Road, Fonda, New York 12068;

the said inventor, has invented certain new and useful improvements in

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which is the subject of United States Patent Application Serial Number 15/671,604 filed on August 8, 2017, and

WHEREAS, **TEMPER AXLE PRODUCTS CORPORATION**, a company having a mailing address of 544 Persse Road, Fonda, New York 12068, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said improvements and said application; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which I hereby acknowledge, I, the said inventor, do hereby assign, transfer and set over to **TEMPER AXLE PRODUCTS CORPORATION**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right title and interest in, to and under said improvements, of above-identified application - including the right to claim priority to said application - all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to **TEMPER AXLE PRODUCTS CORPORATION**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

AND I HEREBY covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

AND I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to **TEMPER AXLE PRODUCTS CORPORATION**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid **TEMPER AXLE PRODUCTS CORPORATION**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries;

AND I HEREBY grant Heslin Rothenberg Farley & Mesiti, P.C. the power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to

comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 7 day of August, 2017.



JOHN E. RODE

STATE OF NEW YORK)
) ss.:
COUNTY OF)

On this 7th day of August, 2017, before me personally came **John E. Rode**, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.



Notary Public

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