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**ASSIGNMENT AND DECLARATION (37 C.F.R. 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN  
APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 C.F.R. 1.76)**

**Title of Invention**      **AXLE ASSEMBLY HAVING A MULTI-SPEED TRANSMISSION AND A DROP GEAR SET**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

This declaration is directed to:

- The attached application, or
- United States application or PCT international application number  
16/594,875 filed on October 7, 2019. (I hereby authorize the  
insertion of the application filing date and number when they become known.)

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

I believe that I am the original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the application.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I am aware of the duty to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

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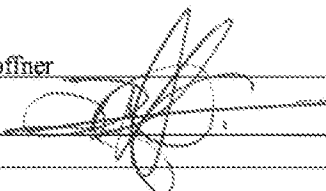
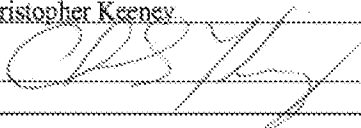
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