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**ASSIGNMENT AND DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.63**  
(For Use with Signed Application Data Sheet)

**Title of Invention: METHOD FOR SETTING A PREDEFINED POSITION OF A CLUTCH ACTUATOR WHICH COMPRISES A FRICTION SPRING ELEMENT**

**Attorney Docket No.: P181940 WO-US**

This assignment and declaration are directed to (check one):

- the attached application;  
 the application identified by the attorney docket no. and title of invention given above;  
 United States Application or PCT International Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.

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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, as a below-named inventor I have sold and assigned, and hereby sell and assign, to:

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As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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 acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

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