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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **Ballard Power Systems Inc.** (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), a company existing under the laws of British Columbia having a place of business at 9000 Glenlyon Parkway, V5J 5J8 Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada, is the owner of an invention entitled "FUEL CELL STACK," as described and claimed in the specification for which an application for United States letters patent was filed on December 21, 2020, and assigned Application No. 17/254,802;

WHEREAS, **Volkswagen AG** (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of Germany having a place of business at Berliner Ring 2, 38440 Wolfsburg, Germany, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

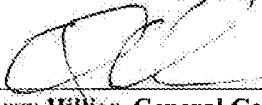
NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions including any extensions or adjustments in term thereof and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, and including the right to sue and collect damages for past and present infringement of said letters patent; said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR agrees to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

Application No. 17/254,802

**BALLARD POWER SYSTEMS INC.**

28 Jun 2021

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**Kerry Hillier, General Counsel**

Acknowledged and Accepted by:

**VOLKSWAGEN AG**

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