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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, **Jonathan P. Cotter**, 23731 Marshall, Dearborn, Michigan 48124 hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, have invented certain improvements in an invention entitled **GAS SPRING WITH OVERTRAVEL PRESSURE RELIEF**, for which a U.S. provisional application 62/821,073 was filed on March 20, 2019, a U.S. non-provisional application 16/825,813 was filed on March 20, 2020, a U.S. divisional application 17/895,794 was filed on August 25, 2022, a U.S. divisional application 17/895,852 was filed on August 25, 2022, and for a U.S. divisional application 17/895,871 was filed on August 25, 2022 in the United States Patent & Trademark Office (USPTO);

AND WHEREAS, DADCO, Inc. 43850 Plymouth Oaks Boulevard, Plymouth, Michigan 48170, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEES, are desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as described in said application including all patentable subject matter disclosed in said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, as ASSIGNOR and by these presents, do hereby sell, assign, transfer, convey, and set over unto ASSIGNEES, its successors, assigns, or designees for the territory of the United States of America and all foreign countries, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest, including all priority rights in all countries and under any International Convention(s) associated with each of said foreign countries, in and to (A) said invention as described in said application, including all patentable subject matter disclosed in said application, (B) said application, (C) any United States Patent(s), including any reissue or re-examination of said any United States Patent(s), that may be granted in pursuance of said application, (D) any divisional, continuation, or continuation-in-part application(s) of said application including all patentable subject matter disclosed therein, (E) any foreign patent application(s) that may be filed on said invention, or based on said application, in organizations or countries foreign to the United States, and (F) any foreign patent(s) granted on said any foreign patent application(s).

I, as ASSIGNOR, hereby authorize ASSIGNEES and its legal representatives to apply for foreign patents on said invention, or based on said application, in ASSIGNEE'S own name or through its successors, assigns, designees, legal representatives, subsidiaries, or

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I, as ASSIGNOR, hereby agree, without any additional consideration, to execute all papers, including those required for said application(s) or said patent(s), to give any requested testimony, and to perform any other proper acts as ASSIGNEES or its successors, assigns, designees, or legal representatives may deem necessary to secure to ASSIGNEES or its successors, assigns, or designees the rights herein assigned and to acquire, hold, enforce, convey and uphold validity of any of said patent(s).

I, as ASSIGNOR, hereby represent and warrant that I have not granted any rights, titles, or interests inconsistent with the right, title, and interest granted herein.

I, as ASSIGNOR, hereby authorize and request the Commissioner for Patents in the USPTO to issue any of said United States Patents to ASSIGNEES of the entire right, title, and interest in and to any of said United States Patents for the sole use and behoof of ASSIGNEES.

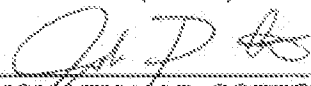
I, as ASSIGNOR, hereby authorize and request the Commissioner for Patents (or the equivalent) in any organizations or countries foreign to the United States to issue any said foreign patent(s) to ASSIGNEES of the entire right, title, and interest in and to any of said foreign patent(s) for the sole use and behoof of ASSIGNEES.

This ASSIGNMENT is governed and is to be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Michigan. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this ASSIGNMENT will be construed as if such provision were omitted. The parties agree that there are no representations, warranties, collateral assignments, or conditions affecting this ASSIGNMENT other than expressed in this ASSIGNMENT. The provisions of this

ASSIGNMENT are for the benefit of and are binding on the parties and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hands and affixed my seal


this 26th day of August, 2022.  
(date) (month) (year)

 (SEAL/SIGNATURE)  
JONATHAN P. COTTER

STATE OF MICHIGAN )

COUNTY OF WAYNE )

On this 26th day of August, 2022, before me, a Notary Public in and for said county, appeared **Jonathan P. Cotter** who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

  
Notary Public Signature  
My commission expires: 10/10/24

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NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF MI  
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