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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy hereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies): MICHELIN KOZEP-EUROPA KERESKEDELMI RESZVENYTARSASAG
Individual(s) Association
General Partnership Limited Partnership
[X] Corporation Hungary
Other
Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached Yes x No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
Name: MICHELIN RECHERCHE ET
TECHNIQUE S.A.
Address: Route Louis-Braille 10 et 12,
CH-1763 Granges-Paccot, Switzerland
Individual(s) citizenship
Association
General Partnership
Limited Partnership
[X] Corporation Switzerland
Other
If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:
Yes x No
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3. Nature of conveyance:
[x] Assignment Merger
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Other
Execution Date: Effective December 2, 2002
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4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):
A. Trademark Application No.(s)
B. Trademark Registration No.(s). 1,807,350
Additional Numbers attached? Yes x No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
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6. Total number of applications and registration involved:.....1
7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 40.00
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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.
Nancy C. DiConza
Name of Person Signing

Signature: Nancy C. DiConza
Date: 4/5/04

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CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Michelin Közep-Európa Kereskedelmi Részvénytársaság, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Hungary, with an address of 17 Kerepesi Street, 1087 Budapest, Hungary ("Assignor"), was the owner of the trademark TAURUS & Design, U.S. Reg. No. 1,807,350 (hereinafter, the "Trademark");

WHEREAS, Michelin Recherche et Technique S.A., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Switzerland, located and doing business at Route Louis-Braille 10 et 12, CH-1763 Granges-Paccot, Switzerland ("Assignee"), acquired said Trademark and all associated goodwill in the Trademark, effective as of December 2, 2002;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby confirms the assignment to Assignee, effective as of December 2, 2002, of all right, title and interest in and to the Trademark and the above-named registration therefor, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Trademark, and with all claims arising out of or relating to the use or ownership of the Trademark.

Michelin Közep-Európa Kereskedelmi Részvénytársaság

By: _____

Name: Jozsef Orosz

Title: General Director

Dated: September 25, 2003

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