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II. AND, WHEREAS JAC Operations, Inc., a corporation of Delaware, having a place of business at Two North Riverside Plaza, Suite 1300 Chicago, Illinois 60606, hereinafter called the "assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said applications and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed.

III. NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration paid to us by said assignee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby assign, sell, transfer, and set over unto said assignee our entire right, title and interest in and to said applications and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign countries and all regular applications claiming the benefit of said applications, divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, said assignee to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full ends of the terms of said regular applications claiming the benefit of said applications and said divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment not been made.

IV. We covenant that we are the lawful owners of the said applications, inventions and improvements, that the same are unencumbered, except as the undersigned might be otherwise obligated to the assignee, that no license has been granted to make, use, or sell the said inventions or improvements or any of them, and that we have the full right to make this assignment.

V. And for the consideration aforesaid, we agree jointly and individually that we will communicate to said assignee or the representatives thereof any facts known to us respecting said inventions and improvements, and will, upon request, but without expense to us, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all regular, divisional, reissue, continuation, continuation-in-part, renewal, and/or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary or expedient by said assignee or by counsel for said assignee, to assist or enable said assignee to obtain and enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned.

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Cloyd Wirick 10-9-2007
Cloyd Wirick /Date

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_____ Dave Single _____ /Date

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Kerry Santer /Date

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Robert J. Roxby /Date

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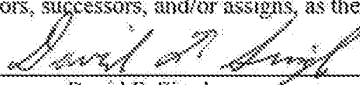
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David F. Single

10-12-20

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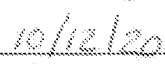
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**DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN
APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)**

Title of Invention	METHOD AND CAST COMPONENTS FOR COLD FORMED CENTER SILL RAIL CAR MODIFICATION PROGRAMS AND RAILCARS FORMED THEREBY
As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:	
This declaration is directed to: ☐ The attached application, or	
☒ United States application or PCT international application number <u>17/038,205</u>	
filed on <u>September 30, 2020</u>	
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.	
WARNING:	
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LEGAL NAME OF INVENTOR	
Inventor: <u>Cloyd Wirick</u>	Date (Optional): <u>10-9-2020</u>
Signature: <u>Cloyd Wirick</u>	
Note: An application data sheet (PTO/SB/14 or equivalent), including naming the entire inventive entity, must accompany this form or must have been previously filed. Use an additional PTO/AIA/01 form for each additional inventor.	

This collection of information is required by 35 U.S.C. 115 and 37 CFR 1.63. This information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1 minute to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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 filed on September 30, 2020

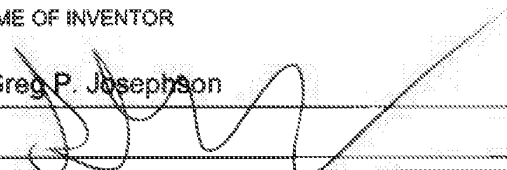
The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

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

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