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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS SONY ELECTRONICS, INC. (hereinafter "Assignor"), a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business at 1 Sony Drive, Park Ridge, NJ 07656, is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the inventions and patents set out in Serial No. 08/357,333 filed December 16, 1994, entitled: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR STORING AND REPRODUCING HIGH-RESOLUTION VIDEO IMAGES, by virtue of an assignment thereof from the inventors, recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 16, 1994, at Reel 7277, Frame 0040;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which hereby are acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns and transfers jointly unto SONY CORPORATION, a Japanese corporation, having a place of business at 6-7-35 Kitashinagawa 6-chome, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo, Japan and said SONY ELECTRONICS, INC. (hereinafter referred to as "Assignees"), their successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and patents, and in and to any and all patents, reexaminations, reissues or extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto, to be held and enjoyed as fully and exclusively as they would have been by Assignor had this assignment and transfer not been made;

Assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the

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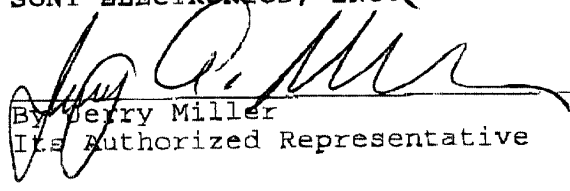
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United States for said inventions resulting from the aforesaid application to said Assignee.

In witness whereof, Assignor has caused this assignment to be executed on the day and year set forth below.

SONY ELECTRONICS, INC.

  
By Jerry Miller  
Its Authorized Representative

6/7/98  
Date