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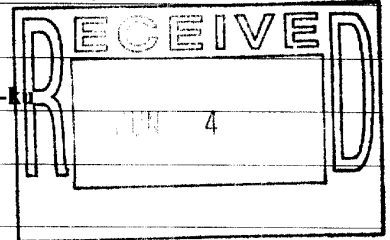
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we Kofuku Ito and Yoshiro Honda all of Kanagawa pref, Japan (hereinafter referred to as "Assignors") have invented certain new and useful improvements in the design of a VALVE POSITIONER for which the application for Letters Patent of the United States is being executed on even date herewith;

WHEREAS, Yamatake-Honeywell Co., Ltd. A corporation of Japan having offices at 2-12-19, Shibuya, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo, Japan (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee") desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said design, said application, and in, to and under any and all United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefore;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration to us to provide by the said Assignee, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the above named Assignors, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the application and the design disclosed therein for the United States and foreign countries, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States Patent Application, and we request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the design set forth in said application to Assignee, its successors and assigns; and we hereby agree that Assignee may apply for foreign patents on said design and we will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign application when called upon to do so by assignee.

(1) in Japan, Kofuku Ito Date: April-15, 1998
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(2) in Japan, Yoshiro Honda Date: April-15, 1998
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Witnesses or Notarization: Shuji Akinoto Date: April 15, 1998