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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, Hironori MASUTANI of c/o NORITSU KOKI CO., LTD.  
Umehara 579-1, Wakayama-shi, Wakayama-ken, Japan, hereinafter referred to as "Assignor,"  
is the inventor of the invention described and set forth in the below identified application for  
United States Letters Patent:

Title of the Invention: PHOTOGRAPHIC PROCESSING APPARATUS

Date(s) of execution of Declaration: April 6, 1998

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Serial No.: 08/925,307; and

WHEREAS, NORITSU KOKI CO., LTD. located at Umehara 579-1, Wakayama-shi, Wakayama-ken, Japan, hereinafter  
referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring ASSIGNOR'S interest in the said  
invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent which may be granted on the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that,  
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has signed his/her name on the date  
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Date: April 6, 1998

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