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Hideki HIROOKA,

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Toshimi TAJIMA,

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the undersigned hereby sell(s) and assign(s) to

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(hereinafter designated as the Assignee) the entire right, title and interest for the United States of America as defined in 35 USC 100, in the invention known as

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STOCK LIQUOR PRESSURE PULSATION ABSORBING APPARATUS AND METHOD

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for which an application for patent in the United States of America has been executed by the undersigned

on May 25, 1998

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The undersigned agree(s) to execute all papers necessary in connection with any interference which may be declared concerning this application or continuation, division or reissue thereof and to cooperate with the Assignee in every way possible in obtaining evidence and going forward with such interference.

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