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ASSIGNMENT (Joint)

WHEREAS, we, Hiroyasu INOUE, Shinji MIYAZAKI
_____, _____, and
Jiro YOSHINARI of c/o TDK CORPORATION of 13-1,
Nihonbashi 1-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan
_____, _____
_____, and of _____
_____, respectively, have made a certain new and
useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters
Patent for an invention entitled Recording/Reproducing Method of
Magneto-Optical Recording Medium and Drive System for
Magneto-Optical Recording Medium, and executed by us on
May 22, 1998, _____,
_____, and _____, respectively,
Serial No. _____, filed _____, (the
hereinafter named assignee being hereby authorized to insert said Serial
Number and date when ascertained);

AND WHEREAS TDK CORPORATION
_____, a corporation of Japan
and having a place of business at 13-1, Nihonbashi 1-chome,
Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan, is desirous of acquiring
the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and
to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be obtained
therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration in hand, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto TDK CORPORATION, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, and in and to any and all patents of the United States which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, we hereby agree with said assignee that we will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that we will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or chooses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

AND we request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patents of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said TDK CORPORATION, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire

right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered
thereby.

May 22, 1998
Date

Hiroyasu Inoue
Hiroyasu INOUE

May 22, 1998
Date

Shinji Miyazaki
Shinji MIYAZAKI

May 22, 1998
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Jiro Yoshinari
Jiro YOSHINARI

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