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## ASSIGNMENT

For value received, we, Wataru YAMAGUCHI and Mitsunobu OTA, residing at Toyokawa-Shi, Aichi-Ken, Japan, Shinshiro-Shi, Aichi-Ken, Japan hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Minolta Co., Ltd., a corporation

existing under the laws of Japan, located at Osaka Kokusai Building, 3-13, 2-chome, Azuchi-machi, Chuo-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka, 541-8556, Japan,

and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire right, title, and interest for all countries including the United States of America, in and to certain inventions relating to

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described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, [] having an oath or declaration by me/us executed on even date herewith; [X] bearing Serial No. (Attorney's Docket No. 024055-060) and filed on March 4, 1998, and all patents which may be granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents on said improvements or resulting therefrom to said Company as assignee of the entire interest, and covenant that I/We have full right so to do, and agree that I/We will communicate to said Company or its representatives any facts known to me/us respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States.

The Assignor(s) hereby authorizes and requests the attorneys of Burns, Doane, Swecker & Mathis, L.L.P. of Alexandria, Virginia, to insert in the spaces provided above the filing date, serial number, and attorney docket number of said application if not previously inserted.

Signature <u>Wataru Yamaguchi</u> Date <u>Apr. 8, 1998</u> Wataru YAMAGUCHI

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