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has invented and owns a certain invention entitled:

LINEAR ILLUMINATION DEVICE AND IMAGE READING
APPARATUS USING THE SAME

for which application for Letters Patent of the United States was executed on even date herewith,
and

WHEREAS, the ASSIGNEE:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto set their hands and seal

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