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WHEREAS, I (We), Tetsuya YAMAMOTO, Masahiro ISHIKAWA, Koichi KAWASHIMA, Hideki SHIMONAKA, Koji KANBARA, Takayuki SUZUKI, Hiroki MORIYAMA, Yasuhito KURA and Akira SUZUKI
as assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in ENDOSCOPE SYSTEM
for which an application
for United States Letters Patent has been executed by me (us) of even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, Olympus Optical Co., Ltd.
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as assignee, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to said
invention and any Patent that may be granted therefor.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and
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assignor(s), hereby sell, assign and set over to said assignee the entire right, title and
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