

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Wataru Shimazaki, Sadafumi Shidara, Kouichi Oka and

Masaki Tsunoda

have invented new and useful improvements in _____

FOUR-CYCLE ENGINE FOR OUTBOARD MOTOR

for which we have prepared an application for Letters Patent of
the United States of America;

AND WHEREAS, _____

HONDA GIKEN KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA,

1-1, Minami-Aoyama 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo

is desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters
Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may
concern, that for and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00)
and other good and valuable consideration to us in hand paid, the
receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we have assigned, sold
and transferred and by these presents do hereby assign, sell and
transfer unto the said HONDA GIKEN KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

_____ for the territory of the United
States of America, our entire right, title and interest in and to
the said invention, and in and to the said application, prepared
and executed by us on September 11, 1998, filed September 10,
1998, Serial No. 09/150,783, preparatory to obtaining Letters
Patent thereon and in and to any and all divisions, reissues and

continuations thereof, and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted thereon; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said _____

HONDA GIKEN KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA,

its legal representatives and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made.

AND, we hereby covenant and agree that we will at any time upon the request and at the expense of said assignee execute and deliver any and all papers and do all lawful acts that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said invention and to obtain Letters Patent therefor, and we hereby authorize and request the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the said Letters Patent to the said _____

HONDA GIKEN KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

in accordance with this assignment.

Executed this 11th day of September, 1998 at _____.

Witness:

G. Nakamura

Wataru Shimazaki (L.S.)
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