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hereinafter called assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in

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and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor on
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Whereas, NIDEK CO., LTD.
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(assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to
 any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

I/We, the above named assignor(s), hereby sell, assign and transfer to the above named assignee, its
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 therein for the United States of America, including the right to claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §119, and
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I/We hereby authorize and request my attorneys SUGHRUE, MION, ZINN, MACPEAK & SEAS of
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Date: December 18, s/ Eiji YONEZAWA
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