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ASSIGNOR(s)/	1. Yasuyuki Yoshihara 2. Kazuyoshi Yonezu					
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	have made an invention entitled: STORAGE BATTERY					
	and have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States concurrently herewith:					
	WHEREAS, the ASSIGNEE					
ASSIGNEE	Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.					
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is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to said invention and the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor,

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