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Assignment

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Yasuyuki ISHII Tadayuki TSUDA Shinichi SASAKI
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Nobuharu HOSHI

citizen(s) of Japan

residing at (respectively)

1-1-3-203 Tokura, Mishima-shi, Shizuoka-ken, Japan;
 4-11-20 Senpukugaoka, Susono-shi, Shizuoka-ken, Japan;
 328-1-307 Shimotogari, Nagaizumicho, Sunto-gun, Shizuoka-ken, Japan;
 3-9-7-403 Hamacho, Odawara-shi, Kanagawa-ken, Japan;
 356-1-B-103 Nameri, Nagaizumicho, Sunto-gun, Shizuoka-ken, Japan;
 1-10-5-302 Tokura, Mishima-shi, Shizuoka-ken, Japan; and
 822-3-406 Ohoka, Numazu-shi, Shizuoka-ken, Japan

hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto

CANON KABUSHIKI KAISHA, a corporation of Japan having a place of business at
 3-30-2 Shimomaruko, Ohta-ku, Tokyo, Japan,

its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest,
 for the United States in and to certain inventions relating to

A DEVELOPING DEVICE

and described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States filed on 7/OCT/1998 as Application No. 09/167,723
 and in and to said application, and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United
 States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues and extensions thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the
 Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue all Letters Patent upon said inventions to the
 Assignee or to such nominees as it may designate.

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 form of protection for said inventions, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention
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 and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

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Date: December 22, 1998

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Date: December 2, 1998

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Date: December 1, 1998

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