

ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT

WHEREAS

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NAME AND ADDRESS
OF ASSIGNOR

(HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS ASSIGNOR), have
invented and own a certain new and useful invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION:

METHOD FOR FABRICATING A COMPLEX MAGNETIC HEAD
INCLUDING A REPRODUCING MAGNETO-RESISTANCE HEAD

WHEREAS

FULL NAME AND ADDRESS
OF ASSIGNEE

NEC Corporation
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(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring
the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under said invention
and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be
it known that in consideration of the payment of ASSIGNEE to
ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of
which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable
consideration, ASSIGNOR, by these presents, hereby sells,
assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the entire and exclusive
right, title and interest to said invention and all Letters Patent of
the United States to be obtained therefor on said application or
any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof
for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of the
United States Patent obtained therefor on said application or any

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continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof for the full term or terms to said ASSIGNEE, of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for his sole use and behoof, and for the use and behoof of his legal representatives, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent obtained therefor on said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof for may be granted, as full and entirely as the same would have been held by ASSIGNOR had this assignment and sale not been made.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale;

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

DATE OF SIGNING

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set
hand and seal this 26th day of December, 1998.

SIGNATURE

By: Nobuyuki Ishiwata (印)
Nobuyuki ISHIWATA

SIGNATURE

By: _____

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By: _____

WITNESSES

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