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WHEREAS, Murata Manufacturing Co., Ltd., 26-10, Tenjin 2-chome, Nagaokakyo-shi, Kyoto-fu, Japan as assignee, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in and to said invention and any Patent that may be granted therefor.

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