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Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes

Osaka-fu, JAPAN

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for which

- an application is being filed concurrently herewith,
- an application for a Patent of the United States was filed on December 28, 1998
- an given Application Serial No. 09/221,133

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SIGNED on the dates indicated aside our signatures:

<u>INVENTORS</u>	<u>DATE SIGNED</u>
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