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_____, respectively,
have invented certain new and useful improvements in: _____
SPOUTING STRUCTURE FOR AEROSOL VESSELS

for which an application for Letters Patent was executed on _____
April 12, 1999 (and I (WE) hereby
authorize my attorneys, authorized to prosecute said application,
to here insert the filing date and serial number of said application,
when known: Serial No. _____, Filed _____) and,

WHEREAS, TAISHO PHARMACEUTICAL CO., LTD., a Japanese corporation
(hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") having a place of business
at: 24-1, Takata 3-chome, Toshima-ku, Tokyo 170-8633, Japan

is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and
to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted
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NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of FIVE DOLLARS
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EXECUTED AT: Tokyo, Japan

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