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Masahiro Sato
Yoshitugu Sibuya
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Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies)

☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name
☐ Other _____

Execution Date: January 11, 1999

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Citizen Watch Co., Ltd.

Address: 1-1, Nishi-Shinjuku 2-chome

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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, , the undersigned,

Masahiro SATO, Yoshitugu SIBUYA and Junji SATO

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to
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Japan having a place of business at
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Date: January 11, 1999

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Masahiro Sato
Masahiro SATO

Date: January 11, 1999

Witness: _____

Yoshitugu Sibuza
Yoshitugu SIBUYA

Date: January 11, 1999

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Date: _____

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