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residing at c/o TAIYO YUDEN CO., LTD., 16-20, Ueno 6-chome, Taito-ku,
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have invented certain new and useful improvements in HYBRID MODULE

for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on March 29, 1999
and received U.S. Serial No. 09/282 055.

WHEREAS, TAIYO YUDEN CO., LTD.

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hereinafter called the "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and
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