

*mhp*  
*5.27.99*

06-08-1999



101058273

Docket No.: RCW-68831

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Patent and Trademark Office

Tab settings → → → ▼ ▼ ▼

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Hiroki Kitamori

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

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

Name: SNK Corporation

Address: 1-6, Enoki-cho, Suita-shi

City: Osaka

State/Prov.: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: Japan

ZIP: 564-0053

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?  Yes  No

1-530 U.S. PTO  
29/105696  
06/27/99

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment  Merger
- Security Agreement  Change of Name
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Execution Date: May 11, 1999

4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: May 27, 1999

Patent Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ Filing date \_\_\_\_\_

B. Patent No.(s)

*29/105696*

Additional numbers attached?  Yes  No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: John A. Griecci

Registration No. 39,694

Address: SHEPPARD, MULLIN, RICHTER

& HAMPTON LLP

333 South Hope Street, 48th Floor

City: Los Angeles State/Prov.: CA

Country: U.S.A. ZIP: 90071

6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ 40.00

Enclosed - Any excess or insufficiency should be credited or debited to deposit account

Authorized to be charged to deposit account

8. Deposit account number:

19-1853

06/08/1999 DRGUTEN 00000024 29/05696

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

01 FC:581

40.00 DP

9. Statement and signature.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

John A. Griecci

Name of Person Signing

*John A. Griecci*

Signature

May 27, 1999

Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 3

PATENT

REEL: 009997 FRAME: 0758

## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, HIROKI KITAMORI, of Osaka, Japan, Assignor, has invented a new, original and ornamental design for a HAND HELD GAME MACHINE, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was executed by him on or about the same date as this Assignment; and

WHEREAS, Assignor believes himself to be the original, first and sole inventors of the invention disclosed and claimed in the application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, SNK CORPORATION, a Japanese corporation, having a place of business at 1-6, Enoki-cho, Suita-shi, Osaka, 564-0053, Japan, Assignee, desires to acquire by formal, recordable assignment the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the application, and any Letters Patent that might be granted for the invention in the United States and throughout the world; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the application, and any Letters Patent that might be granted for the invention in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of Assignee and to claim for any such foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise.

Further, Assignor agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to Assignor, he and his legal representatives and assigns will perform all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that might be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing or enforcing Letters Patent in the United States and throughout the world for the invention, and for perfecting, recording or maintaining the title of Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the invention, the application, and any Letters Patent granted for the invention in the United States and throughout the world.

Assignor represents and warrants that they have not granted and will not grant to others any rights inconsistent with the rights granted by this Assignment.

Assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and of all foreign countries to issue any Letters

Patent granted for the invention, whether on the application or on any subsequently filed division, continuation, continuation-in-part or reissue application, to Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire interest in the invention.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this Assignment.

Assignor

Date: 11. May., 1999

Hiroki Kitamori  
Hiroki Kitamori

LA:LGJOTHER\RCW\70011802.1

RCW-68831