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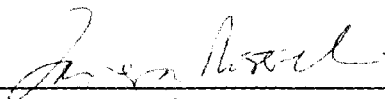
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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, KUNIO KANEKO, TETSURO MARUYAMA, AKIHIRO HASEGAWA, citizens of Japan, residing at c/o Studio De Creation Seiko, 33, Avenue De La Republique, 75011 Paris, France and YOICHI HIRATA, a citizen of Japan residing at c/o Seiko Kabushiki Kaisha, 15-1, Kyobashi 2-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan, respectively hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented certain new and useful improvements in Design for WATCH CASE WITH BAND for which we are filing an application for Letters Patents of the United States concurrently herewith;

WHEREAS, SEIKO KABUSHIKI KAISHA, (trading as Seiko Corporation), a corporation of Japan, having its principal place of business at 5-11, Ginza 4-Chome, Chuo-Ku, Tokyo, Japan hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the improvements and the application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the ASSIGNORS, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the improvements, and the application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for the improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for the improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for the improvements to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting the improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the improvements in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have set our hands and seals to this Assignment.

May 24, 1999

Kunio Kaneko  
KUNIO KANEKO

May 28, 1999

Tetsuro Maruyama  
TETSURO MARUYAMA

May 28, 1999

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