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B. Title of Invention:

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LIQUID CONTAINER, METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING THE CONTAINER, PACKAGE  
OF THE CONTAINER, INK JET HEAD CARTRIDGE  
IN WHICH THE CONTAINER AND A RECORDING  
HEAD ARE MADE INTEGRAL WITH EACH  
OTHER, AND LIQUID DISCHARGE RECORDING  
APPARATUS

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6. Number of applications and patents involved:

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its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest, for  
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OF THE CONTAINER, INK JET HEAD CARTRIDGE IN WHICH THE CONTAINER  
AND A RECORDING HEAD ARE MADE INTEGRAL WITH EACH OTHER, AND  
LIQUID DISCHARGE RECORDING APPARATUS

and described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States filed by us on May 4, 1999

and which has been accorded Application No. 09/304,980

and in and to said application, and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United  
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