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<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:</p> <p>Name: Richard G. Besha Internal Address: Street Address: Nixon & Vanderhye P.C. 1100 North Glebe Road 8th Floor City: Arlington State: VA Zip: 22201</p>		<p>6. Total number of applications & patents involved: 1</p> <p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 40.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account #14-1140</p> <p>8. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper thereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140.</p>							
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **HIDECHIKA HARADA and KENZOH YOSHIDA** (hereinafter ASSIGNORS) both of **Nara-ken, Japan**, have invented a certain improvement in a **COMBINED SCANNER AND PRINTER FOR AN ELECTRONIC COMPUTER**, for which a so-entitled application for Letters Patent of the United States was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 24, 1999;

WHEREAS, **SHARP KABUSHIKI KAISHA** (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a corporation of **Japan**, having an office and place of business at **22-22, Nagaike-cho, Abeno-ku, Osaka, 545, Japan** is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the said ASSIGNORS by these presents hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and all foreign countries, as described in the aforesaid application, and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademark to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, for the sole use and behoof of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives.

AGREED and executed as noted below:

May 26, 1999

Date

Hidechika Harada

HIDECHIKA HARADA

May 26, 1999

Date

Kenzo Yoshida

KENZOH YOSHIDA

Witnessed by:

Name: *Kenichi Takahashi*

Date: June 1, 1999

Name: *[Signature]*

Date: June 1, 1999