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WHEREAS, WE, Eiji INOUE, Torakatsu MIYASHITA, Yoshio UCHIYAMA, Junya NAKATANI, Teruyuki NAKAZAWA and Akio NIO, the undersigned inventors and the ASSIGNORS herein, have invented Method for Producing Iron Carbide, for which we are about to file application for Letters Patent of the United States, which application has been executed by each of us concurrently herewith and of which inventions and improvements we are the joint owners; and

WHEREAS, Kawasaki Jukogyo Kabushiki Kaisha, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Japan having a place of business at 1-1, Higashikawasaki-cho 3-chome, Chuo-ku, Kobe-shi, Hyogo 650-8670 JAPAN and Mitsubishi Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Japan having a place of business at 6-3, Marunouchi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8086 JAPAN, the ASSIGNEES herein, desire to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions, applications and Letters Patent to be granted and issued thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) by the ASSIGNEES to each of us paid, and other valuable consideration, the receipt and legal sufficiency of all of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said ASSIGNORS, have sold and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said ASSIGNEES, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and all improvements thereon, in and to said application for Letters Patent thereon, in and to applications pertaining to or based upon said inventions and applications, including divisional and continuing applications and continuations-in-part, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted and issued on said inventions and applications, or any of them, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but for, to and in all countries foreign thereto, together with and including all priority rights based upon any and all applications in the United States of America covered by this Assignment.

And for the above-named considerations, we do hereby agree that we will, at the request of said ASSIGNEES, execute any and all applications for Letters Patent for said inventions and any and all other papers and documents and do all other and further lawful acts that said ASSIGNEES may deem necessary or desirable to obtain Letters Patent on said inventions, to secure the grant of such Letters Patent and to perfect and vest in the ASSIGNEES the entire right, title and interest in the inventions, applications and Letters Patent.

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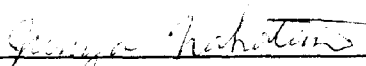
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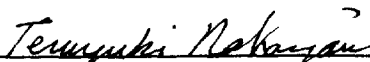
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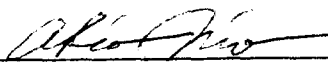
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