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ASSIGNMENT

Know all men by these presents

THAT WHEREAS....., we, Hideki Sasaoka, Hirohiko Kazato, and Takashi Noma, citizens of Japan and engineers, all residing at c/o YAMATAKE CORPORATION, 12-19, Shibuya 2-chome, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo 150-8316, Japan

have made an invention in certain improvements in
Data Conversion Method and Apparatus and Program Storage Medium

described in an application executed by us on January 5, 1999
and about to be filed in the United States Patent Office on
Serial Number ; and

WHEREAS,

YAMATAKE CORPORATION

a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Japan
and having a place of business at
12-19, Shibuya 2-chome, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo 150-8316, Japan

for the benefit of itself, its successors and assigns, all inclusively hereinafter referred to as the Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention, the said application, all inventions disclosed in said application, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of all other countries which may be granted for the said invention or inventions, or any of them;

Now, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations to us paid by the said Assignee, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign and transfer to the said Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention, inventions, and application, including all priority rights arising therefrom, all inventions disclosed in said application, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States, and of all other countries, together with the right to apply for such Letters Patent, which may be granted for the said invention, inventions or any of them.

To HAVE, HOLD AND ENJOY the said inventions, the said application, and the said Letters Patent, to said

its successors and assigns, to its and their own use and behoof to the full end of the term or terms for which the said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ourselves had this assignment and sale not been made.

AND we HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States and the appropriate officers of all foreign patent offices to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on the said application or applications above referred to, or for the said inventions, or any of them, to the said Assignee in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND we hereby agree to execute and sign without further consideration any other legal document and any other assignments and any divisional, continuing, renewal, reissue or other application in and for all patents that may be appropriate and may be deemed necessary by the Assignee fully to secure to the said Assignee its interests as aforesaid in and to the said invention or any part thereof and in and to the said patents or any of them.

AND we further covenant and agree that we will at any time upon request communicate to the said Assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, any facts known to us relating to the said invention and any patent that may be granted thereon, and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation when requested to do so.

AND we do hereby covenant for us and our legal representatives that we have not hitherto assigned or granted any license to make, use or sell said invention, and that we will not henceforth purport to assign, license or execute any instrument to that effect in conflict with this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have hereunto set our hands and seal this 5th day of January 1999.

Hideki Sasaoka
Hideki Sasaoka

Hirohiko Kazato
Hirohiko Kazato

Takashi Noma
Takashi Noma

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Commonwealth of Massachusetts } ss.
County of }

Then personally appeared the above-named _____, this _____ day of _____ 19____, to me personally known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be _____ own free act and deed, before me.

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Notary Public

Commonwealth of Massachusetts } ss.
County of }

Then personally appeared the above-named _____, this _____ day of _____ 19____, to me personally known and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be _____ own free act and deed, before me.

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