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Address: 20-10, Nakayoshida

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In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, We, the undersigned,

Kanji SUZUKI, Hideo KANBE and Kazunori IKEGAYA

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to

STAR MICRONICS CO., LTD.

20-10, Nakayoshida, Shizuoka-shi, Shizuoka 422-8001 JAPAN, a corporation of JAPAN having a place of business at _____, its

successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for all countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed and claimed, and as possessed by the undersigned, any and all improvements which are disclosed but not claimed, in the application for United States Patent, which has been executed by the undersigned on February 3, 2000 and is entitled

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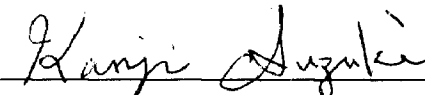
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Agree that said Assignee may apply for and receive foreign Letters Patent for said improvements, or any of them; and

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Covenant with said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

Date: February 3, 2000



Kanji SUZUKI

Witness: Eiko Ishikawa
Eiko ISHIKAWA

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Witness: Eiko Ishikawa
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