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Assignment

1. Yoko SUZUKAWA of SOMAR CORPORATION 11-2, Ginza 4-chome,
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2. Nobue ABIKO of SOMAR CORPORATION 11-2, Ginza 4-chome,
Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan

3. Hiroshi MARUYAMA of SOMAR CORPORATION 11-2, Ginza 4-chome,
Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan

has invented and owns a certain invention entitled:

DIAZO-CONTAINING PHOTSENSITIVE MATERIAL

for which application for Letters Patent of the United States was executed on even date herewith,
and

WHEREAS, the ASSIGNEE

SOMAR CORPORATION

of 11-2, Ginza 4-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan

is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned inventors have hereunto set hand and seal this 31th day of May , 2000.

1. Yoko Suzukawa

2. Nobue Abiko

3. Hiroshi Maruyama