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receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said Hirofumi ONO, Toshihiko MATSUI, and Ikuya MIYAMOTO,

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