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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT

WHEREAS KIYOSHI SUZUKI and OSAMU SUZUKI of Shizuoka, Japan

NAME AND ADDRESS OF ASSIGNOR

(HEREINAFTER REFERED TO AS ASSIGNOR), have invented and own a certain invention entitled:

METHOD FOR REMOVING STATIC ELECTRICITY IN FINGERPRINT
-READING APPARATUS, FINGERPRINT READING APPARATUS, AND
DATA TERMINAL PROVIDED WITH FINGERPRINT-READING APPARATUS

TITLE OF INVENTION:

for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been executed on even date herewith:

WHEREAS

NEC Corporation, 7-1, Shiba 5-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan

FULL NAME AND ADDRESS OF ASSIGNEE

(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
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