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WHEREAS, I, Jun'ichi YOKOKAWA (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), have invented and own a certain invention entitled \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been

X executed on even date herewith;  
\_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_.

WHEREAS, JUNO BEAUTY Co.,Ltd. of 12-15, Zuikoh 1-chome, Higashiyodogawa-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka-fu, Japan (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: Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor on said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted; and all Letters Patent and applications therefor through the world, including all the rights accruing by virtue of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale;

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

Dated: June 7, 2000

Jun'ichi Yokokawa  
Jun'ichi YOKOKAWA

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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Serial or Patent No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Attorney File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Filing or Issue Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant or Patentee: JUNO BEAUTY Co., Ltd.  
For: \_\_\_\_\_

**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS**  
**37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(c) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

I hereby declare that with regard to the small business concern identified below I am

- the owner of the small business concern  
 an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of same

NAME OF CONCERN: JUNO BEAUTY Co., Ltd.

ADDRESS OF CONCERN: 12-15, Zuikoh 1-chome, Higashiyodogawa-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka-fu,  
Japan

I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 1.21.3-18, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees under 35 USC §41(a) and (b) in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns the affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention entitled \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ by inventors described in

- U.S. Patent Application filed herewith  
 U.S. Patent Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_  
 U.S. Patent No. \_\_\_\_\_ issued \_\_\_\_\_

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having the rights to the invention is listed below\* and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who could not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(c) or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a non-profit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e). \*NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities. 37 CFR 1.27.

FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 INDIVIDUAL  SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN  NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION

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I acknowledge the duty to file in this patent application or patent, notification of any change of status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. 37 CFR 1.29(b).

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 USC §1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the patent application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

NAME OF PERSON SIGNING: Jun'ichi YOKOKAWA  
ADDRESS OF PERSON SIGNING: c/o JUNO BEAUTY Co., Ltd. of 12-15, Zuikoh 1-chome,  
Higashiyodogawa-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka-fu, Japan

SIGNATURE: *Junichi Yokokawa*

DATE: June 7, 2000