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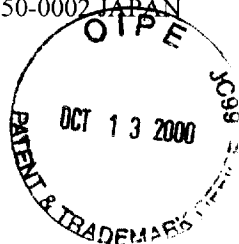
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Whereas, ISHIHARA SANGYO KAISHA, LTD., 3-15, Edobori, 1-Chome, Nishi-ku, Osaka 550-0002 JAPAN (assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

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I/We hereby authorize and request our attorneys SUGHRUE, MION, ZINN, MACPEAK & SEAS, PLLC of 2100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20037-3212 to insert here in parentheses (Application number 09/634,630 , filed August 8, 2000) the filing date and application number of said application when known.

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