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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

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hereby sell, assign, and transfer to KURITA WATER INDUSTRIES LTD.

a corporation existing under the Laws of Japan
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