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for which I am about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States of America;

AND WHEREAS, NEC Corporation 7-1, Shiba 5-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan is desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor from the United States;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for and in consideration of One Dollars (\$ 1.00) to me in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged the said ASSIGNOR have assigned, sold, and set over, and by these presents do hereby assign, sell, and set over unto the said ASSIGNEE, NEC Corporation * the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to the said invention, as fully set forth and described in the:

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal at Tokyo, Japan this 24th day of November, A.D. 2000

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