

12-14-2000



101549714

M.P.
11-28-00

RECORDATION FORM COVER SHEET PATENTS ONLY

TO: The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original document(s) or copy(ies).

PTO
JC945 U.S. PTO
09/727376
11/26/00

Submission Type

New

Resubmission (Non-Recordation)
Document ID# _____

Correction of PTO Error
Reel # _____ Frame # _____

Corrective Document
Reel # _____ Frame # _____

Conveyance Type

Assignment Security Agreement

License Change of Name

Merger Other _____

U.S. Government
(For Use ONLY by U.S. Government Agencies)

Departmental File Secret File

Conveying Party(ies)

Mark if additional names of conveying parties attached

Name (line 1) Uchimoto, Yukio Execution Date 10/26/2000
Month Day Year

Name (line 2) Asakami, Masaya

Second Party

Name (line 1) Shimizu, Kiyoshi Execution Date _____
Month Day Year

Name (line 2) Zeniya, Yoshito 09/727376

Receiving Party

Mark if additional names of receiving parties attached

Name (line 1) Fuki Byora Co., Ltd. (A Japan Corporation)

Name (line 2) C/O Yukio Uchimoto

Address (line 1) 59-115 Yubinana, Kanazu-cho

Address (line 2) Sakai-Gun, Fukui, 919-0898

Address (line 3) JAPAN _____
City State/Country Zip Code

If document to be recorded is an assignment and the receiving party is not domiciled in the United States, an appointment of a domestic representative is attached. (Designation must be a separate document from Assignment.)

Domestic Representative Name and Address

Enter for the first Receiving Party only.

Name Fukui Byora Co., Ltd

Address (line 1) C/O Curt Harrington

Address (line 2) Suite 250

Address (line 3) 6300 State University Drive

Address (line 4) Long Beach, CA 90815

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Public burden reporting for this collection of information is estimated to average approximately 30 minutes per Cover Sheet to be recorded, including time for reviewing the document and gathering the data needed to complete the Cover Sheet. Send comments regarding this burden estimate to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Chief Information Officer, Washington, D.C. 20231 and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (0651-0027), Washington, D.C. 20503. See OMB Information Collection Budget Package 0651-0027, Patent and Trademark Assignment Practice. DO NOT SEND REQUESTS TO RECORD ASSIGNMENT DOCUMENTS TO THIS ADDRESS.

Mail documents to be recorded with required cover sheet(s) information to:
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Box Assignments, Washington, D.C. 20231
PATENT

REEL: 011323 FRAME: 0255

Correspondent Name and Address Area Code and Telephone Number

Name

Address (line 1)

Address (line 2)

Address (line 3)

Address (line 4)

Pages Enter the total number of pages of the attached conveyance document including any attachments. #

Application Number(s) or Patent Number(s) Mark if additional numbers attached

Enter either the Patent Application Number or the Patent Number (DO NOT ENTER BOTH numbers for the same property).

Patent Application Number(s)			Patent Number(s)		
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

If this document is being filed together with a new Patent Application, enter the date the patent application was signed by the first named executing inventor. (Month Day Year)

Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT)

Enter PCT application number only if a U.S. Application Number has not been assigned.

PCT PCT PCT

PCT PCT PCT

Number of Properties Enter the total number of properties involved. #

Fee Amount Fee Amount for Properties Listed (37 CFR 3.41): \$

Method of Payment: Enclosed Deposit Account

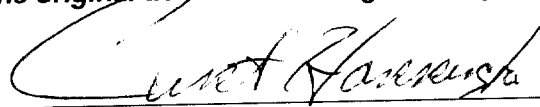
(Enter for payment by deposit account or if additional fees can be charged to the account.)

Deposit Account Number: #

Authorization to charge additional fees: Yes No

Statement and Signature

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Charges to deposit account are authorized, as indicated herein.

Curtis L. Harrington  November 28, 2000

Name of Person Signing Signature Date

ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION

Whereas, Yukio Uchimoto of c/o Fukui Byora Co., Ltd., 59-115 Yubinaka, Kanazu-Cho, Sakai-Gun, Fukui, 919-0898, JAPAN; Masaya Asakami of c/o Fukui Byora Co., Ltd., 59-115 Yubinaka, Kanazu-Cho, Sakai-Gun, Fukui, 919-0898, JAPAN; Kiyohsi Shimizu of c/o Fukui Byora Co., Ltd., 59-115 Yubinaka, Kanazu-Cho, Sakai-Gun, Fukui, 919-0898, JAPAN; and Yoshito Zeniya of c/o Fukui Byora Co., Ltd., 59-115 Yubinaka, Kanazu-Cho, Sakai-Gun, Fukui, 919-0898, JAPAN; (hereinafter referred to collectively as an "Inventors") have invented certain new and useful improvements (hereinafter referred to as "Invention") which are covered by the following United States patent application under Docket No. KIYO-28, the details of which Attorney for Applicant is authorized to insert in the spaces below, when known:

U.S. Patent Application Serial No.:

filed:

entitled: Driving Fit Rivet Made of Aluminum

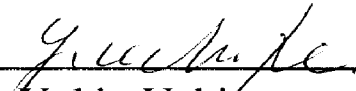
priority: Japan Patent Application No. 2000-327168

Whereas Fukui Byora Co., Ltd., a Japan corporation doing business at 59-115 Yubinaka, Kanazu-Cho, Sakai-Gun, Fukui, 919-0898, JAPAN (hereinafter referred to as "COMPANY") wishes to collectively acquire all of the rights, title and interest of the Invention in and to said Invention and the United States application therefor,

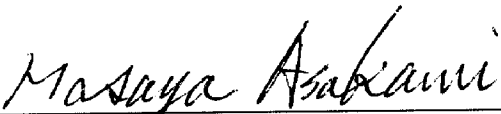
Now, therefore, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, said Inventor has sold, assigned, and transferred and by these presents does sell, assign, and transfer unto said COMPANY, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said Invention and in and to said patent application for the territory of the United States of America and for all foreign countries, said Invention and patent application to be held and enjoyed by the COMPANY for their own use and enjoyment and for the use and enjoyment of its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which U.S. Letters Patent on same will be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by said Inventor had this Assignment and sale not been made.

Said Inventors hereby covenant that they have the full right to convey the interest herein assigned, and that he has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

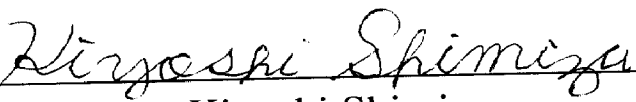
Said Inventors further covenant and agree that they will communicate to COMPANY and to their successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to him respecting said Inventions and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid COMPANY and their successors, legal representatives, and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said Invention in all countries.

Signature of Inventor: 
Yukio Uchimoto

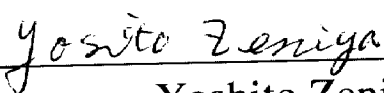
Date: Oct. 26, 2000

Signature of Inventor: 
Masaya Asakami

Date: Oct. 26, 2000

Signature of Inventor: 
Kiyoshi Shimizu

Date: Oct. 26, 2000

Signature of Inventor: 
Yoshito Zeniya

Date: Oct. 26, 2000