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In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned, \_\_\_\_\_  
Taizo MATSUDA

hereby sells, assigns and transfers to  
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(hereinafter called the Assignee), its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to:

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