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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Kunitoshi NISHIMURA, Kazuhiko HIDAKA
and Kiyokazu OKAMOTO, residing in Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki, Japan,
Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki, Japan, and Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki, Japan, respectively, have
invented certain new and useful improvements in
MICROSCOPIC GEOMETRY MEASURING DEVICE ~~ix~~ for
which we have this day executed an application for United States Letters Patent;

AND, WHEREAS Mitutoyo Corporation, a corporation of
Japan, having a place of business at 20-1, Sakado 1-chome, Takatsu-ku,
Kawasaki-shi, Kanagawa 213-0012, Japan, hereinafter called the "assignee", is desirous of
acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and the inventions and
improvements therein disclosed.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration paid to us by said
assignee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby assign, sell, transfer,
and set over unto said assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and
the inventions and improvements therein disclosed for the United States and all foreign
countries and any Letters Patent which may issue therefor in the United States and all foreign
countries and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, and/or
extensions thereof, said assignee to have and to hold the interests herein assigned to the full
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continuations-in-part, renewals, and/or extensions thereof, respectively, as fully and entirely
as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment not been made.

The Commissioner for Patents is requested to issue such Letters Patent in
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inventions, and improvements, that the same are unencumbered, that no license has been
granted to make, use, or vend the said inventions or improvements or any of them, and that
we have the full right to make this assignment.

And for the consideration aforesaid, we agree jointly and individually that we
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respecting said inventions and improvements, and will, upon request, but without expense to
us, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue,
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said assignee or by counsel for said assignee, to assist or enable said assignee to obtain and
enforce full benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. This assignment shall be
binding upon our heirs, executors, administrators, and/or assigns, and shall inure to the
benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and/or assigns, as the case may be,
of said assignee.

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