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Takayuki Toshima and Tadashi Iino,

who have created a certain invention for which an application for United States Letters Patent

- executed by ME/US on even date herewith,
- executed by ME/US on _____, (respectively),
- filed on _____ and assigned Serial No. _____,
- filed as International Application No. _____ filed on _____

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発明者の署名	日付	Inventor's signature <i>Takayuki Toshima</i>	Date April 13, 2001
第二共同発明者 (いる場合)		Full name of second joint inventor, if any Tadashi Iino	
第二共同発明者の署名	日付	Second Inventor's signature <i>Tadashi Iino</i>	Date April 13, 2001
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第三共同発明者の署名	日付	Third Inventor's signature	Date
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