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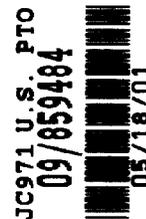
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have invented certain new and useful improvements in LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY

for which we are about to make application for Letters
(I/we have made—or am/are about to make)

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

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preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said ASSIGNEE, NEC Corporation

for their own use and behoof, and for their legal representatives, to the full end of the term

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hand s and affix our sealS at

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