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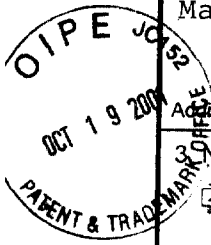
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WHEREAS I/We, the below named inventor(s), [hereinafter referred to as Assignor(s)], have made an invention entitled:
OPHTHALMOLOGIC KNIFE

(Title of Invention)

for which I/We executed an application for United States Letters Patent concurrently herewith or filed an application for
United States Letters Patent on August 28, 2001, (Serial No. 09/939,579); andWHEREAS, MANI, INC.
(Full Name of Assignee)a corporation of Japan
(Country of Incorporation)whose post office address is 743, Naka-akutsu, Takanezawa-machi, Shioya-gun,
Tochigi-ken, Japan(hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of securing the entire right, title, and interest in and to this invention, the
application for United States Letters Patent on this invention and the Letters Patent to be issued upon this application;NOW THEREFORE, be it known that, for good and valuable consideration the receipt of which from assignee is hereby
acknowledged, I/We, as assignor(s), have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set
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this application, and all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted
thereon, and all reissues thereof; and I/We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the
United States to issue all Letters Patent for this invention to assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms
of this Assignment;AND, I/WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that I/We will, without further consideration, communicate with
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the execution of such papers shall be borne by the assignee, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set our hand(s).

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