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the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged by the undersigned who at the request of, hereby sell(s), assign(s) and transfer(s) unto:

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(hereinafter designated "ASSIGNEE") the entire right, title and interest for the United States of America as defined in 35 U.S.C. 100, in the invention and all applications including any and all divisions, continuations, substitutes, and reissues thereof; and all resulting patents, known as

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| TITLE OF INVENTION | FOCAL-LENGTH ADJUSTING UNIT FOR PHOTOGRAPHING APPARATUSES |
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for which the undersigned executed an application for Letters Patents of the United States of America:

NOTE → → (A) ☐ even date herewith
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| 3) <u>Kimihiko Nishioka</u> Name: Kimihiko NISHIOKA | <u>Oct. 3, 2001</u> | |
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