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of, respectively, 11-28, Mita 3-chome,  
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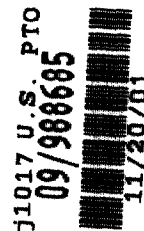
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WHEREAS, WE, Yoshimi SHIOYA, Kouichi CHIRA, Kazuo MAEDA, Tomomi SUZUKI,  
Yuuichi YAMAMOTO, Yuichiro KOIKE, Hiroshi IKAKURA and Shoji OGAWARA  
of, respectively, c/o CANON SALES CO., INC.,  
11-28, Mita 3-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 108-0073 Japan and  
c/o SEMICONDUCTOR PROCESS LABORATORY CO., LTD.,  
13-29, Konan 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 108-0075 Japan

have invented certain improvements in "SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME" set forth in

an application for Letters Patent of the United States; and  
CANON SALES CO., INC. and  
WHEREAS, SEMICONDUCTOR PROCESS LABORATORY CO., LTD.

11-28, Mita 3-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 108-0073 Japan  
of 13-29, Konan 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 108-0075 Japan

is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of  
One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the  
receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Yoshimi SHIOYA, Kouichi CHIRA,  
Kazuo MAEDA, Tomomi SUZUKI, Yuuichi YAMAMOTO, Yuichiro KOIKE, Hiroshi IKAKURA and Shoji OGAWARA  
by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said CANON SALES  
CO., INC. and SEMICONDUCTOR PROCESS LABORATORY CO., LTD. its  
successors, legal representatives, heirs and assigns, the full  
and exclusive right, title and interest in the United States of  
America said application executed on the 12th day of  
November, 2001, (and we hereby authorize my attorneys,  
authorized to prosecute said application, to here insert the  
filing date and serial number of said application, when known:  
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enforcement and defense of said Letters Patent, without charge to  
us, our successors, legal representatives, heirs and assigns, but  
CANON SALES CO., INC. and SEMICONDUCTOR  
at the cost and expense of PROCESS LABORATORY CO., LTD. its  
successors, legal representatives, heirs and assigns; and we  
hereby request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters  
CANON SALES CO., INC. and SEMICONDUCTOR  
Patent to PROCESS LABORATORY CO., LTD. as assignee thereof.

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