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### ASSIGNMENT OF U.S. PATENT RIGHTS

(Inventors) 1 Toshihiko MURAMATSU  
2 Takashi FURUKAWA  
3 Shinji TAKASE  
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(Assignee) In consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable  
(Address) considerations paid to each of the undersigned, the undersigned agree(s) to assign, and  
hereby does assign, transfer and set over to  
1) DENSO CORPORATION of 1-1, Showa-cho, Kariya-city, Aichi-pref. 448-0029 Japan  
2) KYOSANDENKI CO., LTD. of 11-3, Oaza Okazato, Sowa-machi, Sashima-gun,  
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No. \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_  
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