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Whereas, Sumitomo Chemical Company, Limited of
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(assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

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I/We hereby authorize and request our attorneys SUGHRUE MION, PLLC of 2100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20037-3213 to insert here in parentheses (Application number 10/021070 and Confirmation number 6162), filed on December 19, 2001) the filing date and application number of said application when known.

Date: February 21, 2002 Takahiro Ueoka
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