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WHEREAS, FUJIKU INCORPORATED, of 3-2, Itachibori 2-chome, Nishi-ku, Osaka, Japan, (hereinafter Assignee) is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

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