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1. Hiraku KAYAMA signed on August 26, 2002
3. Jaume ORTOLA signed on August 26, 2002
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2. Oscar CELMA signed on August 26, 2002
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ADDITIONAL NAME(S) OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES) ATTACHED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

2. PARTY(IES) (ASSIGNEE(S)) RECEIVING INTEREST:

NAME: Yamaha Corporation

ADDRESS: 10-1, Nakazawa-cho, Hamamatsu-shi, Shizuoka-ken, Japan

ADDITIONAL NAME(S) & ADDRESS(ES) ATTACHED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

3. NATURE OF CONVEYANCE (DOCUMENT):

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EXEC. DATE: August 26, 2002

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5. Name & Address of Party to Whom Correspondence
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FOR VALUE RECEIVED, I, Hiraku KAYAMA

hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto YAMAHA CORPORATION

a corporation of Japan

having a place of business at

10-1, Nakazawa-cho, Hamamatsu-shi, Shizuoka-ken JAPAN

its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest, for the United States, in and to certain inventions relating to

SINGING VOICE-SYNTHESIZING METHOD AND APPARATUS AND STORAGE MEDIUM

and described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States filed by us on December 27, 2001 and which has been accorded Application No. 10/034,352 and in and to said application, and all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted, thereon, and all reissues and extensions thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue all Letters Patent upon said inventions to the Assignee or to such nominees as it may designate.

AND we authorize and empower the said Assignee or nominees to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, the benefit of the right or priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

AND we hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in the United States for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of said Assignee or nominees to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.

AND we hereby covenant that we have the full right to convey the entire right, title and interest herein assigned and that we have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND we hereby covenant and agree that we will communicate to said Assignee or nominees all facts known to us pertaining to said inventions, and testify in all legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and declarations and in general perform all lawful acts necessary or proper to aid said Assignee or nominees in obtaining, maintaining and enforcing all lawful patent protection for said inventions in the United States.

By: Hiraku Kayama
Hiraku KAYAMA

Date: Aug 26 2002

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By: 
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Jaume ORTOLÀ

Date: 26-8-2002

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