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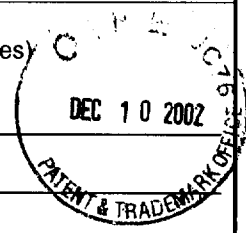
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ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PATENT

WHEREAS Oki Electric Industry Co., Ltd. of 7-12, Toranomom 1-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan, hereinafter referred to as the assignor, is a joint owner of U.S. Patent No. 4,979,143 by an Assignment recorded on July 6, 1988 at Reel/Frame 4905/0900;

AND WHEREAS KEIHIN CORPORATION of 26-2, Nishishinjuku 1-chome,
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hereinafter referred to as the assignee, is desirous of acquiring the assignor's entire right, title and interest in and to said patent, including any divisions and continuations thereof, and in and to said invention and any further patents which may be granted therefor, including any renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof;

NOW THIS WITNESSETH, that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration paid by said assignee to said assignor, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said assignor hereby assigns, sells and transfers to said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and to said patent, including any divisions and continuations thereof, and in any further patents which may be granted therefor, including any renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof; said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, to have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said invention and said patent, including any divisions and continuations thereof, and any further patents which may be granted therefor, including any renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, with all the rights, powers, privileges and advantages in anywise arising from or appertaining thereto, for and during the term or terms of any such patents when granted, including any renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, for the use and benefit of said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, in as ample and beneficial a manner as the said assignor might or could have held and enjoyed the same, if this assignment had not been made.

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AND said assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any further patents, and on any divisions and continuations thereof, to said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, in accordance herewith.

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