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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS: **Komatsu, Ltd.** of Tokyo, Japan (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), has invented and owns a certain invention entitled:

**DISCHARGE DEVICE FOR PULSED LASER**

for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been filed on September 13, 2000 as Serial No. 09/660,830, and

WHEREAS:

**Gigaphoton, Inc.** of Tokyo, Japan (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefore;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE TO ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefore on said application or any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof and in and to all Letters Patent and all Convention and Treaty rights of all kinds, in all countries throughout the world for said invention for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNOR covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain and enforce said rights, said application, said invention and said Letters Patent which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27 day of January, 2002.

**Komatsu, Ltd.**

By: 

Name: Masahiro SAKANE

Title: President