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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, NEC CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Japan, having an office at 7-1, Shiba 5-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, 108-8001, JAPAN, is an assignee of a partial right, title and interest by a previous assignment recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 6, 2000 under Reel 010881, Frame 0033 of U.S. Letters Patent No. 5,416,708 issued on May 16, 1995;

WHEREAS, HONDA ELESYS CO., LTD., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Japan, having an office at YBP Hi-tech Center, 134 Godo-cho, Hodogaya-ku, Yokohama-shi, Kanagawa 240-0005, JAPAN, is desirous of acquiring the partial right, title and interest in and to the invention described and claimed in said Letters Patent;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) lawful money of the United States and other valuable considerations, to me in hand paid, the receipt of and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, said NEC CORPORATION has sold, assigned and transferred and does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said HONDA ELESYS CO., LTD., its successors and assigns, its entire partial right, title and interest in and to the said Letters Patent and the partial rights in the invention therein contained, including the right to sue for past infringement, to be held and enjoyed by the said HONDA ELESYS CO., LTD., its successors and assigns the same as it would have been held and enjoyed by NEC CORPORATION, if

this assignment and sale had not been made.

NEC CORPORATION, hereby represents and warrants that there are no rights or interests outstanding inconsistent with the rights and interest granted herein and that NEC CORPORATION will not execute any instrument or grant or transfer any rights or interests inconsistent therewith, and NEC CORPORATION binds itself and its heirs, executors, administrators, employees and legal representatives, as the case may be, to execute and deliver to the said HONDA ELESYS CO., LTD., its successors and assigns, any further documents or instruments and do any and all further acts that may be deemed necessary by the said HONDA ELESYS CO., LTD., its successors and assigns to file applications for improvements and inventions in any country where it may elect to file such applications, and that may be necessary to vest in the said HONDA ELESYS CO., LTD., its successors and assigns, the title herein conveyed, or intended so to be, and to enable such title to be recorded in the United States and foreign countries where such application or applications may be filed.

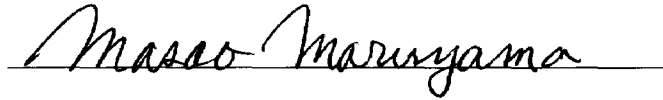
AND, NEC CORPORATION further covenants and agrees, in consideration of the premises, that it, its executors and administrators will, at any time upon request, communicate to the said HONDA ELESYS CO., LTD., its successors and assigns, any facts relating to the said invention and improvements and the history thereof, known to it or its successors and assigns, and that it will testify as to the same in any interference or other proceeding when requested to do so by the said HONDA ELESYS

CO., LTD., its successors and assigns.

The undersigned hereby grants the law firm of Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, NEC CORPORATION, have hereunto set my hands and seal this 14th day ofFebruary,.....²⁰⁰³.....

NEC CORPORATION,



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