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WHEREAS: HITOSHI SHIRAISHI, KENICHI HAYASHI, NAOTO HIRANO and ATSUSHI YAMAMOTO c/o NEC Corporation, 7-1, Shiba 5-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan

NAME AND ADDRESS OF ASSIGNOR

(HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS ASSIGNOR), have invented and own a certain new and useful invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION:

METHOD FOR FORMING PATTERN OF STACKED FILM

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WHEREAS: NEC Corporation 7-1, Shiba 5-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan

FULL NAME AND ADDRESS OF ASSIGNEE

(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

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