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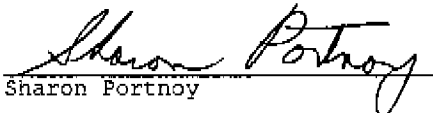
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In consideration of value received, I, having a residence and post office address as stated below next to my name, the sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or a joint inventor (if plural inventors are listed below) of an invention described in an application for United States patent entitled:

**ELECTRO-OPTIC MODULATOR**

sell and assign to NEC TOKIN Corporation

a corporation of Japan  
having a business address at 7-1, Koriyama 6-chome, Taihaku-ku, Sendai-shi, Miyagi, JAPAN

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I hereby grant to any attorney member of the following law firm the power to insert on this Assignment the Serial number and filing date of said application when known.

SERIAL NO.: 10/827,926

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