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residing at Kunitachi-shi, Tokyo, Japan and Sagamihara-shi, Kanagawa-ken, Japan
(hereinafter referred to as "the Assignors"), respectively, witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the Assignors have invented certain new and useful improvements in
ELECTRONICALLY TAGGED PRINTED MATTER, IMAGE FORMING DEVICE, IMAGE FORMING
METHOD, AND IMAGE FORMING PROGRAM, AS WELL AS COMPUTER READABLE RECORDING
MEDIUM ON WHICH THE PROGRAM IS RECORDED set forth in an application for Letters Patent of
the United States,

- (1) ☐ which is a provisional application
(a) ☐ to be filed herewith; or
(b) ☐ bearing Application No. _____, and filed on _____; or
- (2) ☒ which is a non-provisional application
(a) ☒ having an oath or declaration executed on even date herewith prior to filing of
application;
(b) ☐ bearing Application No. _____, and filed on _____; or
(c) ☐ to be filed; and

WHEREAS, KONICA MINOLTA BUSINESS TECHNOLOGIES, INC., a corporation duly
organized under and pursuant to the laws of Japan and having its principal place of business at
1-6-1 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0005 Japan (hereinafter referred to as "the Assignee"),
is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions, the right to file
applications on said inventions and the entire right, title and interest in and to any applications,
including provisional applications for Letters Patent of the United States or other countries claiming
priority to said application, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign, to
be obtained therefor and thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and
sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignors have sold,
assigned, transferred, and set over, and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer, and set over,
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AND the Assignors hereby authorize and request the attorneys of BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P. of Alexandria, Virginia to insert in the spaces provided above the filing date, application number, and attorney docket number of said application when known.

AND the Assignors hereby request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all said Letters Patent of the United States to the Assignee as the Assignee of said inventions, the Letters Patent to be issued for the sole use and behalf of the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

Date: Mar. 8, 2004 Signature of Assignor Kazuto Yamamoto
Kazuto YAMAMOTO

Date: Mar. 8, 2004 Signature of Assignor Masakatsu Kiwada
Masakatsu KIWADA