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**In Consideration** of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and of other good and valuable consideration paid to the undersigned by the Assignee,

Konica Minolta Business Technologies, Inc.  
6-1, Marunouchi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0005 Japan

a corporation organized under the laws of Japan  
receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned by these presents hereby sold, assigned, transferred and set over unto the said assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention or improvement in

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