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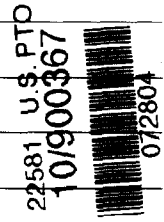
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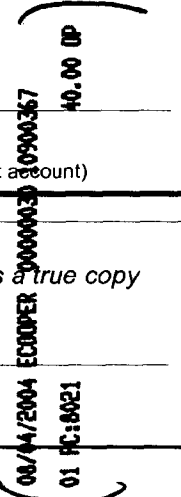
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NAME AND ADDRESS  
OF ASSIGNOR:

(Hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), have invented and  
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TITLE OF INVENTION:

SWITCH DEVICE

(hereinafter referred to as INVENTION) for which application  
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MITSUMI ELECTRIC CO., LTD  
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