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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: <u>Thomas J. D'Amico</u> <u>DICKSTEIN SHAPIRO MORIN & OSHINSKY LLP</u> Internal Address: <u>Atty. Dkt.: A7565.0009/P009</u> Street Address: <u>2101 L Street NW</u> City: <u>Washington</u> State: <u>DC</u> Zip: <u>20037-1526</u>			6. Total number of applications and patents involved: <u>1</u> 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ <u>40.00</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to credit card (Form 2038 enclosed) 8. Deposit account number: <u>04-1073</u> (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)		
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ASSIGNMENT BY INVENTOR

THIS ASSIGNMENT, made this 22nd day of July, 2004 by

Shigeru TOMIOKA, Takashi INAGAKI, Tadashi KOIKE, So NOGUCHI and

Hidekazu YAGI,

(hereinafter referred to as Assignor), residing at ;

c/o OMRON HEALTHCARE CO., LTD., 24 Yamanouchi, Yamanoshita-cho,

Ukyo-ku, Kyoto-shi, KYOTO 615-0084 JAPAN, respectively

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented certain new and useful improvements in

PULSE WAVE MEASURING INSTRUMENT WITH A SPHYGMOMANOMETER

set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed on

or already filed on April 20, 2004 as U.S. application

Serial No. 29/203,777; and

WHEREAS, OMRON HEALTHCARE CO., LTD., a

corporation organized under and pursuant to the laws of Japan

having its principal place of business at

24, Yamanouchi, Yamanoshita-cho, Ukyou-ku, Kyoto-shi,

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(hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and

interest in and to said inventions and said Application for Letters Patent of the United

States, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor and

thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions and application for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all direct and indirect divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application, and any and all Letters Patent in the United States which may be granted therefor and thereon, and reissues, reexaminations and extensions of said Letters Patent, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and benefit and the use and benefit of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent may be granted and/or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor, had this sale and assignment not been made.

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AND for the same consideration, Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that Assignor will sign all papers and documents, take all lawful oaths and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of any Letters Patent and applications for Letters Patent for said inventions, without charge to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, whenever counsel of Assignee, or counsel of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, shall advise: that any proceeding in connection with said inventions, or said application for Letters Patent, or any proceeding in connection with any Letters Patent or applications for Letters Patent for said inventions including but not limited to interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable; or, that any division, continuation or continuation-in-part of any application for Letters Patent, or any reissue, reexamination or extension of any Letters Patent, to be obtained thereon, is lawful and desirable.

AND Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of the United States to Assignee, as Assignee of said inventions and the Letters Patent to be issued thereon, for the sole use and benefit of Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

AND Assignor hereby grants the following individuals the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document:

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AND Assignor acknowledges an obligation of assignment of this invention to

Assignee at the time the invention was made.

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