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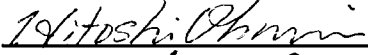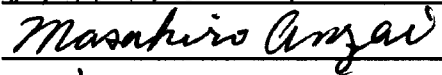
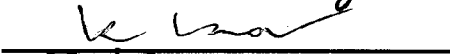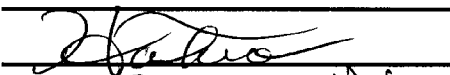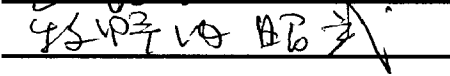   [X] filed on [February 12, 2004] (check if Assignment is executed after application)
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