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Inventor(s)ASSIGNOR(s)/
INVENTOR(s)1. Shuji Yano 2. Takeshi Hamasakihas made an invention entitled: NOISE REDUCING DEVICE AND NOISE
REDUCING METHODand has executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States
concurrently herewith;ASSIGNEE
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WHEREAS, the ASSIGNEE

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.1006, Oaza Kadoma, Kadoma-shi, Osaka, 571-8501 Japanis desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to said invention and the
Letters Patent to be obtained therefor,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to
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