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(assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

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Date: February 1, 2005 s/ Toshimasa Ikeda
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