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hereinafter referred to as Assignor (collectively if more than one inventor is listed above), have invented certain new and useful improvements in CARD CONNECTOR, the specification of which:

- (a) ☒ was executed on even date herewith;
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AND WHEREAS, DDK LTD.
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(hereinafter referred to as Assignee) desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements with respect to the United States of America, its territories and possessions.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby acknowledges that it has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in the United States of America, and its territories and possessions in, to and under said improvements, and any Patent Applications in the United States of America and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States of America which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions; and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America to issue all Patents for said improvements to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

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This 12th day of May, 2005


Signature of Hitoshi KIRUCHI

This 9th day of May, 2005

HIROKAZU TAKAHASHI
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