



09-02-2005

NIF-077

FORM PTO-1596  
1-31-92U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Patent and Trademark Office

103073230

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereto:

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

1. Takahiro FURUYA
2. Yousuke YANAGITA

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Nifco Inc.  
Street Address: 184-1 Maioka-cho, Totsuka-ku,  
City: Yokohama-shi,  
State: Kanagawa  
Zip: 244-8522  
Country: Japan

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name  
☐ Other

Execution Date: July 1, 2005 &amp; June 22, 2005

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☒ Yes ☐ No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If the document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: 07/01/2005 &amp; 07/22/2005

A. Patent Application No(s).

11/178,388 filed July 12, 2005

B. Patent No(s).

«PATENT» «ISSUED»

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name:  
**HAUPTMAN KANESAKA BERNER  
PATENT AGENTS, LLP**

Internal Address:

Street Address: 1700 Diagonal Road, Suite 310

City: Alexandria State: VA Zip: 22314

6. Total number of applications and patents involved: one7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41), \$ 40.00

- ☐ Enclosed  
☐ Authorized to be charged to deposit account  
☒ Credit Card payment form enclosed

8. Deposit account number:

09/30/2005 SZENDIE1 00000052 11178388

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

9. Signature.

Manabu Kanesaka, No. 31,467

Name of Person, Registration No.

Signature

August 29, 2005

Date

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachment, and document:

Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachment, and document:

CMB No. 0851-0011 (exp. 4/94)

**2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):**

**Name:** Honda Motor Co., Ltd.

**Street Address:** 1-1, Minami-Aoyama 2-chome,  
Minato-ku,

**City:**

**State:** Tokyo

**Zip:** 107-8556

**Country:** Japan

ASSIGNMENT

For value received, we, Takahiro FURUYA and Yousuke YANAGITA  
residing respectively at c/o KABUSHIKI KAISHA HONDA GIJUTSU  
KENKYUSHO, 4-1, Chuo 1-chome, Wako-shi, Saitama-ken, 351-0193, Japan;  
and #B201, 4871-89, Miyukihoncho, Utsunomiya-shi, Tochigi-ken,  
Japan hereby sell, assign and transfer to Nifco Inc.; and Honda  
Motor Co., Ltd. corporations existing under the laws of  
Japan located at 184-1 Maioka-cho, Totsuka-ku, Yokohama-shi,  
Kanagawa-ken, 244-8522, Japan; and 1-1, Minami-Aoyama 2-chome,  
Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan and its successors, assigns, and legal  
representatives the entire right, title, and interest for all countries  
including the United States of America, in and to certain inventions  
relating to AIR DAMPER described in application for Letters Patent  
of the United States, executed by me/us on this date, and all patents  
which may be granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues,  
continuations and extensions thereof, and authorize and request the  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents on said  
improvements or resulting therefrom to said Company as assignee of the  
entire interest, and covenant that I/We have full right so to do, and  
agree that I/We will communicate to said Company or its representatives  
any facts known to me/us respecting said improvements and testify in  
any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional,  
continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and  
generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its successors,  
assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said  
invention in the United States.

Signature

Takahiro Furuya  
Takahiro FURUYA

Date

JUL. 1. 2005

Signature

Yousuke YANAGITA  
Yousuke YANAGITA

Date

Jun. 22, 2005