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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (U.S. \$1.00) in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned,

Minako KOBAYASHI, Kazumi SAWAYANAGI, Hironobu NAKATA and
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hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Konica Minolta Business Technologies, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of Japan, and having a place of business at 1-6-1 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0005 Japan, (hereinafter called Assignee) the entire right, title, and interest in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent entitled

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which application was executed by the undersigned on

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the 29th day of August, 2005;
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the 26th day of August, 2005; respectively

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Further, it is agreed that, when requested, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignee, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, and reissue patent applications; execute all rightful other papers; and generally do everything possible which said Assignee shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection.

Signed this 26th day of August, 2005.

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