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WHEREAS, Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Republic of Korea, located and doing business at 416, Maetan-dong, Yeongtong-gu, Suwon-si, Gyeonggi-do, Republic of Korea (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforementioned invention in and for the United States, in and to the aforementioned application, and in and to any and all United States Letters Patent to be obtained on said invention and/or application;

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunder set my hand and seal this 17th day of February, 2006

Ki-Bok Son

(1) Ki-Bok SON

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