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U.S. ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, MIKUNI COLOR LTD., a corporation duly organized under the laws

of Japan, and having an office and place of business at 138-1 Kokubunji, Mikunino-cho,

Himeji-shi, Hyogo-ken 671-0234, Japan, is the assignee of a one-half (1/2) right, title and

interest in and to any and all improvements in COATING FORMULATION FOR PRINTING

PLATE PRECURSOR, PRINTING PLATE PRECURSOR, PRINTING PRESS,

FABRICATION PROCESS OF PRINTING PLATE, AND REGENERATION PROCESS OF

PRINTING PLATE, as described and claimed in United States Patent Applications Serial

No. 10/131,594 filed April 25, 2002, and Serial No. 11/362,869 filed March 26, 2006, by

assignment recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 26, 2002, at

Reel/Frame 013033/0334 and corrective Assignment recorded October 11, 2002, in the

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at reel/frame 013418/0688.

WHEREAS, MIKUNI COLOR LTD., hereinafter ASSIGNOR in this Assignment,

wishes to assign and transfer to MITSUBISHI HEAVY INDUSTRIES, LTD., a corporation

duly organized under the laws of Japan, and having an office and place of business at 5-1,

Marunouchi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8315, Japan, hereinafter ASSIGNEE in this

Assignment, and said ASSIGNEE wishes to acquire, the one-half (1/2) right, title and

interest in, to and under said improvements and said United States Patent applications

Serial No. 10/131,594 and Serial No. 11/362,869 and any and all U.S. patents granted

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therein.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be it known that in

consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar

(\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby

acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE its one-half

(1/2) right, title and interest to said improvements and said Letters Patents of the United

States granted therefor and any continuation, divisional, renewal, substitute or reissue

thereof for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or

encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this

Assignment and sale;

ASSIGNOR further covenants that it will, upon request by the ASSIGNEE promptly

provide all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent

as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any

interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE

or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for,

obtain, maintain and enforce said improvements and said Letters patent which may be

necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes hereof.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, have hereunto set hand and seal this <u>/2</u> day of June, 2006.

MIKUNI COLOR LTD.

Name: Satomi KURODA

Title: President, Mikuni Color LTD.

By: Satomi Kuroda

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