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THIS ASSIGNMENT, made by Toshio NOMAGUCHI and Tetsuya HATTORI (hereinafter referred to as Assignor), residing at c/o Yokohama Works of Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd., 1, Taya-cho, Sakae-ku, Yokohama-shi, Kanagawa, JAPAN

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented certain new and useful improvements in A METHOD

FOR MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR OPTICAL DEVICE USING

INDUCTIVE COUPLED PLASMA-ENHANCE CVD, set forth in a patent application for

Letters Patent of the United States,

filed concurrently herewith;

filed on July 18, 2006 as U.S. Patent Application No. 11/488,004; and

WHEREAS, Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd. having its principal place of business at 5-33, Kitahama 4-chome, Chuo-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka, 541-0041, JAPAN (hereinafter referred to as Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said Application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefore and thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and sufficient consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions and application for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all direct and indirect divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application, and any and all Letters Patent in the United States which may be granted therefore and thereon, and reissues, reexaminations and extensions of said Letters Patent, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, for its own use and benefit and the use and benefit of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent

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