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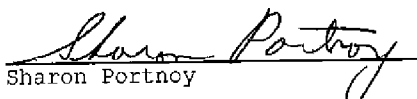
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WHEREAS, OMRON Corporation of 801, Minamifudodo-cho, Horikawahigashiiru, Shiokoji-dori, Shimogyo-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto 600-8530, Japan, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Japan (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the inventions described therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, NHK SPRING CO., LTD. by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto said Assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the said application and the inventions described therein and in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefore and in and to any and all divisions, continuations, substitutions, reissues and renewals thereof.

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