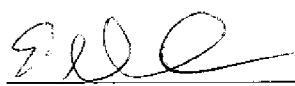


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hereinafter referred to as Assignor (collectively if more than one inventor is listed above), have invented certain new and useful improvements in EFFECTIVE PIGMENT IDENTIFICATION METHOD, IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM, IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM THEREFOR, the specification of which:

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AND WHEREAS, KANSAI PAINT CO., LTD.

with its principal place of business at 33-1, Kanzaki-cho, Amagasaki-shi, Hyogo-ken, Japan, (hereinafter referred to as Assignee) desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements with respect to the United States of America, its territories and possessions.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor intending to be legally bound has hereunto affixed its signature.

This 15th day of December, 20 06 Keisuke Sai  
Signature of Keisuke SAI

This 15th day of December, 20 06 Yutaka Masuda  
Signature of Yutaka MASUDA

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