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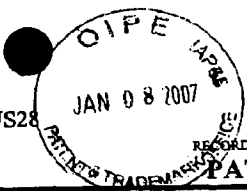
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### Substitute Assignment of Application

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INSERT TITLE OF INVENTION

have invented certain new and useful improvements in: "IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS"

(Application No. 11/558,731 , filed November 10, 2006 ), and

INSERT NAME AND ADDRESS OF COMPANY OR OTHER ASSIGNEE

WHEREAS, Ricoh Company, Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEES") having places of business at: 3-6, 1-chome Nakamagome, Ohta-ku, Tokyo Japan, respectively are desirous of jointly acquiring interests in the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefore in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries;

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