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Assignment

Whereas, I/We, 1) Takafumi SARATA, 2) Norimasa YANASE, 3) Toru OZAKI, 4) Tsuneaki TAMACHI, 5) Kazutaka YUZURIHARA and 6) Fumiharu IWASAKI
1) - 6): c/o SEIKO INSTRUMENTS INC., 8, Nakase 1-chome, Mihama-ku, Chiba-shi, Chiba 261-8507 JAPAN

hereinafter called assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in

Method of Hydrogen Generation, Hydrogen Generator, and Fuel Cell Apparatus
and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor on
September 14, 2007; and

Whereas, SEIKO INSTRUMENTS INC., 8, Nakase 1-chome, Mihama-ku, Chiba-shi, Chiba 261-8507 JAPAN

(assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

I/We, the above named assignor(s), hereby sell, assign and transfer to the above named assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the application and the invention disclosed therein for the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto, including rights of priority under the International Convention of Paris (1883) as amended, and I/we request the Director - U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in the application to the assignee, its successors and assigns; and I/we hereby agree that the assignee may apply for foreign Letters Patent on the invention and I/we will execute without further consideration all papers deemed necessary by the assignee in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by the assignee.

I/We hereby authorize and request our attorneys SUGHRUE MION, PLLC of 2100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20037-3213 to insert here in parentheses (Application number _____ and Confirmation number _____, filed _____) the filing date and application number of said application when known.

Date: September 14, 2007

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s/ Takafumi SARATA

Date: September 14, 2007

Norimasa Yanase
s/ Norimasa YANASE

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Toru Ozaki
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Tsuneaki Tamachi
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s/ Kazutaka YUZURIHARA

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Fumiharu Iwasaki
s/ Fumiharu IWASAKI

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