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WHEREAS

Tsuyoshi TANABE

NAME AND ADDRESS
OF ASSIGNOR

c/o NEC Electronics Corporation, 1753 Shimonumabe, Nakahara-ku,
Kawasaki, Kanagawa 211-8668, Japan

(HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS ASSIGNOR), have invented and
own a certain new and useful invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION:

POWER SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE ARCHITECTURE
FOR OUTPUT TRANSISTOR PROTECTION

WHEREAS

FULL NAME AND ADDRESS
OF ASSIGNEE

NEC Electronics Corporation
1753 Shimonumabe, Nakahara-ku, Kawasaki, Kanagawa 211-8668, Japan

(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire
right, title, and interest in, to and under said invention and the United States
Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

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