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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned individual(s) (referred to herein as the "INVENTOR(S)") hereby assign, transfer, and set over to:

CHIKAMI MILTEC INC.

having the following address:

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(referred to herein both as "COMPANY"), its successors, and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in the United States, in and to the invention filed as PCT International Application PCT/JP2006/314064 filed July 14, 2006, known by the following title:

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2. To execute all papers and documents and to perform all lawful acts which may be necessary in connection with claims to priority or otherwise under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or similar treaties or agreements;
3. To perform all lawful affirmative acts which may be necessary to obtain the grant of a valid and enforceable patent to COMPANY.

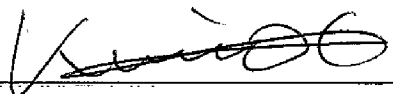
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment has been executed by each of the undersigned individuals on the date appearing by such individual's signature:

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