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Assignment of Application

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_____, respectively,

have invented certain new and useful improvements in: _____

THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASES

for which an application for Letters Patent was executed on _____

(Application No. 11/578,142, filed October 10, 2006), andWHEREAS, Tomohiro CHIBA, Masaaki MATSUOKA, Kenzo TERASHITA,
Sadakazu AISO and Tomo NISHIMOTO

(hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") having a place of business at: _____

4-24-26-101, Miyamae, Suginami-ku, Tokyo 168-0081 Japan,c/o Keio University School of Medicine, 35, Shinanomachi, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 160-8582 Japan,2-12-6, Fujimi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-0071 Japan,c/o Keio University School of Medicine, 35, Shinanomachi, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 160-8582 Japan,and 1-1-31, Ohwada, Ichikawa-shi, Chiba 272-0025 Japan, respectively,

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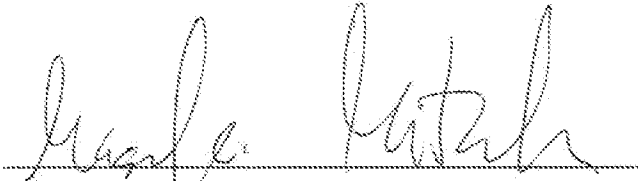
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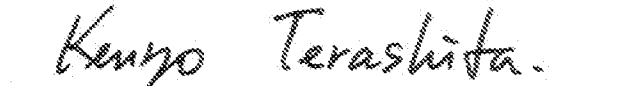
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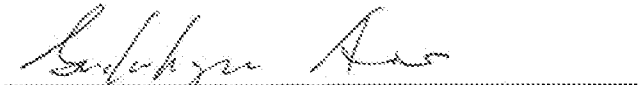
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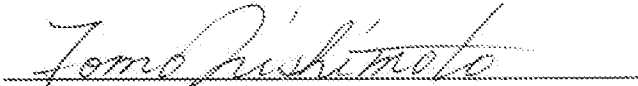
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