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ASSIGNMENTWHEREAS, (1) HIRANO Tetsuya

citizen(s) of (2) Japan whose address(es) is (are) (3) c/o KABUSHIKI KAISHA KAWAI GAKKI SEISAKUSHO, 200 Terajima-cho, Hamamatsu-shi Shizuoka 4308665
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respectively, (hereinafter collectively ASSIGNOR) has invented certain new and useful improvements in
 (4) TOUCH DETECTING DEVICE OF KEYBOARD INSTRUMENT
 for which application for Letters Patent of the United States (5) is about to be (has been) made; and

WHEREAS, (6) KABUSHIKI KAISHA KAWAI GAKKI SEISAKUSHO

a (7) corporation, of (8) Japan whose address is 200 Terajima-cho,
Hamamatsu-shi, Shizuoka 4308665 Japan

_____ (hereinafter ASSIGNEE) is desirous of acquiring
 all right, title, and interest in the United States in and to the aforesaid invention, and in, to and under any and all
 United States Patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the
 receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR has and by these presents does hereby sell,
 assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, his entire right, title and interest in and to said
 invention as described in the application Serial Number _____, executed (filed) on _____

**(Crowell & Moring, LLP, are hereby authorized to insert the execution date, filing date, Serial Number or other
 appropriate identifying data when known)** in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to the aforesaid
 application; also his entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents, reissues or extensions thereof to be
 obtained in the United States on said invention, and any divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, or substitute
 applications which may be filed on said invention in the United States; and the issuing authority is hereby authorized
 and requested to issue any and all patents on said invention to ASSIGNEE.

ASSIGNOR further agrees without any payment by ASSIGNEE, other than expenses incurred by
 ASSIGNOR, to communicate to ASSIGNEE, its representatives or agents, facts relating to said invention, including
 evidence for interference purposes or for other proceedings, whenever requested; to testify in any interference or
 other proceedings, whenever requested; and to execute and deliver on request all lawful papers required to make
 any of the foregoing provisions effective, and likewise make these provisions binding upon any heirs, legal
 representatives, administrators and assigns, and ASSIGNOR hereby warrants that, at the time of execution and
 delivery of this instrument, he is the lawful owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and said
 application, and that the same are unencumbered and that he has good and full right and lawful authority to sell and
 convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, ASSIGNOR hereunto sets his hand and seal this (10) 3
 day of March, 2008.

Witnesses:

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