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For value received, I,
Yoshihito SOUMA, residing at Sakai-shi, Osaka, Japan,
hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Konica Minolta Opto, Inc.,
a corporation existing under the laws of Japan, located at 2970, Ishikawa-machi,
Hachioji-shi, Tokyo 192-8505 Japan,
and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire right, title, and
interest for all countries including the United States of America, in and to
certain inventions relating to

ZOOM OPTICAL SYSTEM, IMAGE SENSING DEVICE, AND DIGITAL APPARATUS

described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by
me/us on this date, and all patents which may be granted therefor, and all
divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and authorize and
request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents on said
improvements or resulting therefrom to said Company as assignee of the entire
interest, and covenant that I/We have full right so to do, and agree that I/We will
communicate to said Company or its representatives any facts known to me/us
respecting said improvements and testify in any legal proceedings, sign all
lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make
all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said Company, its
successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for
said invention in the United States.

The Assignor(s) hereby authorizes and requests the attorneys of
SIDLEY AUSTIN LLP of Dallas, Texas, to insert in the spaces provided above
the filing date, serial number, and attorney docket number of said application if
not previously inserted.

Yoshihito Souma

Mar. 7, 2008

Signature

~~*Yoshihito Souma*~~

Date

Mar. 7, 2008

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