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Assignment

Whereas, I, Junya KUROMUSHA, Kyoto, JAPAN hereinafter called assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in

FLOW RATE CONTROL VALVE

| and executed an appl | ication for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor on |
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| <u></u> | ; and |
| Whereas, | Shimadzu Corporation |
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| | acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and States patents to be obtained therefor; |
| Now therefore, for va | aluable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, |
| assignee, its successors and a invention disclosed therein founder 35 U.S.C. §119, and I/issue any Letters Patent gran successors and assigns; and I | ssignor(s), hereby sell, assign and transfer to the above named assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the application and the or the United States of America, including the right to claim priority we request the Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to ted upon the invention set forth in the application to the assignee, its will execute without further consideration all papers deemed connection with the United States application when called upon to |
| | , filed June 6, 2008) the application |
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