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Kanagawa 211-8668, Japan

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OF ASSIGNOR

(HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS ASSIGNOR), have invented
and own a certain new and useful invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION:

AUTOFOCUS CONTROL CIRCUIT, AUTOFOCUS CONTROL METHOD
AND IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS

WHEREAS: NEC Electronics Corporation
1753 Shimonumabe, Nakahara-ku, Kawasaki,
Kanagawa 211-8668, Japan

FULL NAME AND ADDRESS
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