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of Inventor(s)		Takayuki TANIGUCHI
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		(hereinafter designated as the undersigned) has (have) invented certain new and useful improvements in
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Insert Name of Assignee	<b>→</b>	WHEREAS, SHARP KABUSHIKI KAISHA
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