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**PATENT**  
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**ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION**

WHEREAS, I/we,

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respectively; have invented certain new and useful improvements in: “ METHOD OF PLACING  
BOTTOM BLOCK, BLOCK-TRANSFERRING TOOL AND MACHINE TOOL PROVIDED WITH THE  
TOOL”

(hereinafter referred to as the “Invention”), for which an application for Letters Patent was filed on  
May 18, 2010 (Application No. 12/782,115); and

WHEREAS, TOSHIBA KIKAI KABUSHIKI KAISHA

(hereinafter referred to as “ASSIGNEE”), having a place of business at \_\_\_\_\_,  
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is desirous of acquiring the full and exclusive right in and to said Invention and the entire right, title and  
interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its  
territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00), the receipt of which  
is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, I/we, by these presents do sell,  
assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the full and exclusive right in and to said Invention in the United  
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I/we hereby authorize and request the Patent Office Officials in the United States and its territorial  
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said ASSIGNEE as the assignee of my/our entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use  
and behoof of said ASSIGNEE and said ASSIGNEE’s successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for  
which said Letters Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me/us  
had this Assignment and sale not been made.

Further, I/we agree that I/we will communicate to said ASSIGNEE or said ASSIGNEE’s  
representatives any facts known to me/us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign  
all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitute, renewal and reissue applications, execute  
all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said ASSIGNEE,  
make all rightful oaths, and, generally, do everything possible to aid said ASSIGNEE, and said  
ASSIGNEE’s successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said Invention in the  
United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the firm of DLA Piper LLP US, Attorneys at Law, 1775 Wiehle Avenue, Suite 400, Reston, Virginia 20190-5159, the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification, including the application number and filing date, which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

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