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WHEREAS, we, NAKAMURA Michihiro (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), both having a mailing address of c/o Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology Medical Informatics, Institute of Health Biosciences The University of Tokushima Graduate School, 3-18-15, Kuramoto-cho, Tokushima-shi, Tokushima 770-8503 Japan, is the joint inventor of an invention entitled "METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF NOVEL NANO SILICA PARTICLE AND USE OF THE NANO SILICA PARTICLE" as described and claimed in the specification for which an application for United States letters patent was filed on December 8, 2008, and assigned Application No. 12 / 303, 870 ;

WHEREAS, THE UNIVERSITY OF TOKUSHIMA (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), having a usual place of business at 24, Shinkura-cho 2-chome, Tokushima-shi, Tokushima 770-8501 Japan, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

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January 14, 2009
Date

Michihiko Nakamura
NAKAMURA Michihiro

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that NAKAMURA Michihiro signed this instrument of his/her own free will, as a voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Date January 14, 2009
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Minako Tani
(Type or Print Name of Witness)

Signed at JAPAN, Tokushima
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