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Kazuhiro MAEDA and Shingo SUGAWARA

c/o Hitachi Cable, Ltd., 14-1, Sotokanda 4-chome, Chiyoda-ku,
Tokyo, Japan

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

TITLE OF INVENTION:

NETWORK SYSTEM AND METHOD OF OPERATING THE SAME

WHEREAS

FULL NAME AND ADDRESS
OF ASSIGNEE

Hitachi Cable, Ltd.
14-1, Sotokanda 4-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan

(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of
acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under
said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be
obtained therefor:

NOW THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Be
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set

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