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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, **Hiromi WATANABE**, a citizen of JAPAN, whose post office address is c/o TOKYO METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE SERVICE CORPORATION, 6-2, Otemachi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0004, JAPAN, **Hiroshi KOMATSU**, a citizen of JAPAN, whose post office address is c/o Nippon Koei Co., Ltd., 4, Kojimachi 5-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-8539, JAPAN, **Shigeki NISHIMURA**, a citizen of JAPAN, whose post office address is c/o Nippon Koei Co., Ltd., 4, Kojimachi 5-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-8539, JAPAN, and **Shigeru TSUKADA**, a citizen of JAPAN, whose post office address is c/o Nippon Koei Co., Ltd., 4, Kojimachi 5-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-8539, JAPAN, hereinafter referred to as the ASSIGNORS, have invented a certain improvement relating to

**VORTEX FLOW TYPE WATER SURFACE CONTROL DEVICE FOR
DRAINING DEVICE**

for which an application for Letters Patent in the United States entered the National Stage in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 29, 2013 and was awarded Application No. 13/882,306, and which Application is a National Stage of International Application No. PCT/JP2011/079118, filed December 09, 2011.

AND WHEREAS, **NIPPON KOEI CO., LTD.**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of JAPAN, whose post-office address is 4, Kojimachi 5-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-8539, JAPAN, **TOKYO METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE SERVICE CORPORATION**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of JAPAN, whose post-office address is 6-2, Otemachi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0004, JAPAN, and **TOKYO METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of JAPAN, whose post-office address is 8-1, Nishi-Shinjuku 2-chome, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 163-8001, JAPAN, hereinafter known as the ASSIGNEES, are each desirous of acquiring an equal undivided interest in the entire right, title and interest for the United States in and to said invention and application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon, including any and all renewals, reissues, reexaminations, and prolongations thereof.

NOW, THIS WITNESSETH that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, said ASSIGNORS hereby assign, sell and transfer to said ASSIGNEES, their assigns and legal representatives, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and application, for the United States including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor and all rights to sue for past and future infringement thereunder, said ASSIGNEES and their assigns and legal representatives to have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said invention and application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon, including any and all renewals, reissues, reexaminations, and prolongations thereof, with all the rights, powers, privileges, and advantages in any ways arising from or pertaining thereto, for and during the term or terms of any and all such Letters Patent when granted, including any and all renewals, reissues, reexaminations, and prolongations thereof, for the use and benefit of said ASSIGNEES and their assigns and legal

prolongations thereof, for the use and benefit of said ASSIGNEES and their assigns and legal representatives in as ample and beneficial a manner to all intents and purposes as the said ASSIGNORS might or could have held and enjoyed the same, if this assignment had not been made.

AND said ASSIGNORS hereby agree to execute all papers necessary to file applications in the United States for said invention and to assign the same to said ASSIGNEES, or any assignee acquiring title to said invention, and to execute any other papers that may be needed in connection with filing said application and securing Letters Patent thereon.

AND said ASSIGNORS authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue Letters Patent on said application, and on any and all divisions and continuations thereof, to said ASSIGNEES, their assigns and legal representatives, in accordance herewith.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, this assignment is executed by said ASSIGNORS, on the respective dates indicated below.

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Hiroimi WATANABE

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