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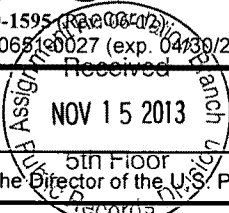
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AND WHEREAS, SEIKO INSTRUMENTS INC., a Japanese corporation located and doing business at 8, Nakase 1-chome, Mihama-ku, Chiba-shi, Chiba, Japan, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

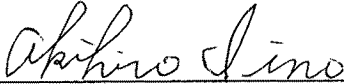
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Executed this 15th day of OCTOBER, 2013.

Witness:



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