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#### ASSIGNMENT

# WHEREAS, I (we), JAPAN SCIENCE and TECHNOLOGY AGENCY (JST)

whose post office address(es) appear(s) below, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR, is(are) the owner of certain new and useful improvements in IMAGING PLATE X-RAY DIFFRACTION APPARATUS

(hereinafter r	eferred to	as the	Invention)	for which	an app	lication	for Ur	nited :	States :	Letters	Patent	was
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## WHEREAS, RIGAKU CORPORATION

whose post office address is 1-8, Hon-cho 4-chome, Kawaguchi-shi, Saitama, JAPAN hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the same in the United States;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I (we), ASSIGNOR, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said INVENTION and application throughout the United States of America, including any and all Letters Patent granted on any division, continuation, continuation-in-part and reissue of said application.

ALSO, ASSIGNOR hereby agrees to execute any documents that legally may be required in connection with the filing, prosecution and maintenance of said application or any other patent application(s) in the United States for said Invention, including additional documents that may be required to affirm the rights of Assignee in and to said Invention, all without further consideration. Assignor also agrees, without further consideration and at Assignee's expense, to identify and communicate to Assignee at Assignee's request documents and information concerning the Invention that are within Assignor's possession or control, and to provide further assurances and testimony on behalf of Assignee that lawfully may be required of Assignor in respect of the prosecution, maintenance and defense of any patent application or patent encompassed within the terms of this instrument. Assignor's obligations under this instrument shall extend to Assignor's heirs, executors, administrators, successors, assigns and other legal representatives.

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