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U.S. Patent No. 8,029,878, issued October 4, 2011

WHEREAS, NIPRO CORPORATION; and FUJIMORI KOGYO CO., LTD. (hereinafter Assignees), corporations organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Japan, having offices at 9-3 Honjo-nishi 3-chome, Kita-ku, Osaka-shi Osaka, Japan; and 23-7, Nishi-Shinjuku 1-chome, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 160-0023 Japan, respectively, are desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention(s) described and claimed in said Patent;

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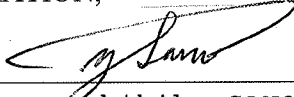
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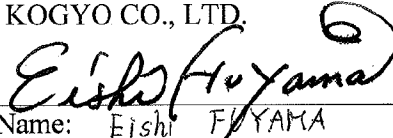
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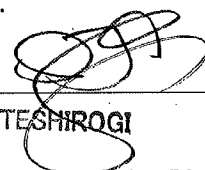
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