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ASSIGNMENT OF ENTIRE INTEREST IN AN INVENTION

WHEREAS, I/we, the undersigned, have invented certain novel and useful improvements in

VARIABLE MAGNIFICATION OPTICAL SYSTEM, IMAGING APPARATUS, AND
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING VARIABLE MAGNIFICATION OPTICAL SYSTEM

for which I am/we are about to make/have made application for Letters Patent of the United States of
America, identified as

PCT International Application No. PCT/JP2014/063986 filed on May 27, 2014; and

WHEREAS,

NIKON CORPORATION,

a corporation duly organized under the laws of Japan, and having its principal office at

12-1, Yurakucho 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8331 Japan

and duly represented by, Kazuo USHIDA, its President

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

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the payment of lawful money and other good and valuable
consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we have sold, assigned, transferred and set
over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto ASSIGNEE and its successors
and assigns, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest, for the territory of the United States of
America, in and to said invention, as described in the specification executed by me/us on even date
herewith, or on _____, entitled as above preparatory to
obtaining Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor, and to said application, Letters Patent to
be obtained for said invention, and any and all reissues, divisions, extensions or continuations of said
application for Letters Patent which may be applied for or granted for said invention; and I/we hereby
request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, for its
interest, for the sole use of ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns.

Executed at Tokyo, Japan this 24th day of November, 2015.

By: Hiroshi Yamamoto

Hiroshi YAMAMOTO

Executed at Tokyo, Japan

this 24th day of November, 2015.

By: Satoru Shibata

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