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## CONFIRMATION/ASSIGNMENT

This agreement ("CONFIRMATION/ASSIGNMENT") is made and entered into by and between the following person(s), Hiromitsu Akiyama (individually and/or collectively, "ASSIGNOR"), and NIKE Japan Group LLC, a Japanese limited liability company having a place of business at Sea Fort Square Center Building, 2-3-12 Higashi-Shinagawa, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo 140-8631 Japan ("ASSIGNEE").

ASSIGNOR has invented subject matter ("INVENTION") disclosed and/or claimed in a U.S. patent application titled "GOLF CLUB HEAD OR OTHER BALL STRIKING DEVICE HAVING IMPACT-INFLUENCING BODY FEATURES" ("APPLICATION"). To the extent not already included below, ASSIGNOR authorizes and requests ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns (collectively, "ASSIGNEE ENTITY") and authorized legal representatives, including but not limited to Banner & Witcoff, Ltd., Ten South Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606-7407, to insert any of the following additional information relating to the APPLICATION when known:

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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR confirms that ASSIGNOR did (under the law of the jurisdiction(s) where the INVENTION was conceived, reduced to practice and/or made under an agreement with ASSIGNEE) sell, assign and transfer, or else ASSIGNOR now does sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE ENTITY, the full, exclusive and worldwide right: (a) in and to the INVENTION, (b) in and to the APPLICATION, its predecessor, continuing and counterpart applications everywhere in the world, and (c) in and to any Patents, Utility Models, Industrial Models, Petty Patents, Design Patents, Design Registrations, Industrial Designs, Unregistered Design Rights, Copyrights, and legal equivalents, reissues, extensions and renewals thereof everywhere in the world which may be granted for the INVENTION, including but not limited to the right to claim priority to and from any of the above, and the right to sue for past damages for any of the above ((a)-(c) collectively, "PROPERTIES").

ASSIGNOR agrees that ASSIGNEE ENTITY may apply for and/or receive PROPERTIES in its own name. ASSIGNOR authorizes and requests the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and/or any other proper officer or agency of any jurisdiction to record the CONFIRMATION/ASSIGNMENT and issue PROPERTIES to ASSIGNEE ENTITY.

ASSIGNOR warrants and covenants that ASSIGNOR either had or does have the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned at the time of the sale, assignment and/or

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PATENT REEL: 041018 FRAME: 0557 transfer. ASSIGNOR warrants and covenants that ASSIGNOR has not executed and will not execute any conflicting sale, assignment and/or transfer.

ASSIGNOR agrees to communicate to ASSIGNEE ENTITY and its authorized legal representatives any facts known to ASSIGNOR respecting the INVENTION, to execute all divisional, continuation, renewal, reissue and foreign applications, sign all lawful documents and make all rightful oaths and declarations relating to the INVENTION, sign all lawful documents which ASSIGNEE ENTITY and its authorized legal representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper protection for the INVENTION and to testify in any judicial and/or administrative proceeding and generally do everything possible to aid ASSIGNEE ENTITY and its authorized legal representatives to obtain and enforce the PROPERTIES. ASSIGNOR's obligations under the CONFIRMATION/ASSIGNMENT will continue beyond the termination of ASSIGNOR's employment with ASSIGNEE.

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11/21/ 20/6 Date

ASSIGNEE accepts the terms and conditions of the CONFIRMATION/ASSIGNMENT:

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