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TITLE OF INVENTION	FISHING HOOK WITH GUARD			
As the below named i	nventor, I hereby declare that:			
This declaration is dir	ected to:			
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The above-identified	application was made or authorized to be made by me.			
I believe that I am the	original inventor or an original joint inventor of a claimed invention in the a	pplication.		
I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.				
WHEREAS, I, the below-identified Inventor, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the Invention identified above and described in the above-identified patent application(s) and/or patent(s) (hereinafter "Invention");				
WHEREAS, GAMAKATSU CO., LTD. (hereinafter "Assignee") having place of business at: 417, Gonose-cho, Nishiwaki-shi, Hyogo 677-0014 Japan, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefore in the United States or its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries;				
NOW, this indenture witnesseth, that in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration;				
I hereby assign, sell and transfer my above-identified rights, title and interest in said Invention, said application(s) as identified above, including any divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States, and countries foreign thereto, which may be granted for said Invention, and in and to any and all reissues and reexaminations thereof, which may be granted or have granted for said Invention, and in and to any and all priority rights, Convention rights, and other benefits accruing or to accrue to us with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto, unto said Assignee;				
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