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(Patent Application)

We [I], the undersigned, have invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in a utility (provisional or non-provisional) or design patent application entitled

BLOCKCHAIN GENERATION APPARATUS, BLOCKCHAIN GENERATION METHOD, BLOCKCHAIN  
" VERIFICATION APPARATUS, BLOCKCHAIN VERIFICATION METHOD, AND PROGRAM "

filed with the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on April 25, 2018

and assigned serial no. 15/770,803.

For one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which we [I] acknowledge, we [I]:

Agree to assign, transfer, convey, and sell, hereby assign, transfer, convey, and sell and have assigned, transferred, conveyed, and sold to NIPPON TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Japan having a principal place of business at 5-1, Otemachi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan 100-8116 ("Assignee"), the entire right, title, and interest in and to:

- (a) all intellectual property (including, without limitation, any innovation, information, invention, discovery, product, process, work or design) disclosed, embodied, shown, or claimed in the above-referenced patent application, implicitly or explicitly;
- (b) the above-referenced patent application, the right to claim priority to the above-referenced patent application, all applications based in whole or in part upon the above-referenced patent application, including, without limitation, all applications that are a provisional, non-provisional, design, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, registration, utility model, industrial design, reissue, renewal, substitute, extension, reexamination, post-grant review, inter partes review, supplemental examination or non-U.S. patent application or application for other rights based in whole or in part on the above-referenced patent application;
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this paragraph or that disclose or claim intellectual property described in (a) of this paragraph, in whole or in part; and

- (d) all claims for damages by reason of past infringement of any rights under the applications or patents described in (a), (b) or (c) of this paragraph (including provisional rights to reasonable royalties pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §154(d)) and the right to sue for and collect such damages and royalties for Assignee's own use.
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Signed on the dates indicated beside our [my] signatures [signature].

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