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WHEREAS, we, Ryo Kurachi, Gang Zeng, and Hiroaki Takada residing at c/o National University Corporation Tokai National Higher Education and Research System, 1, Furo-cho, Chikusa-ku, Nagoya-shi, Aichi 4648601 Japan; and Hiroshi Ueda, residing at c/o AutoNetworks Technologies, Ltd., 1-14, Nishisuehirocho, Yokkaichi-shi, Mie, 5108503, JAPAN (hereinafter referred to as Assignors) invented certain new and useful COMMUNICATION DEVICE, COMMUNICATION SYSTEM AND MESSAGE ARBITRATION METHOD for which we executed an application for a United States Patent and for which said application for United States Patent was filed on September 13, 2021 , under

Patent Application Se	rial No. <u>17/438,909</u>
Attorney Docket No.:	266150-496413 (49599US);

WHEREAS, the ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the attorney(s) and/or agent(s) empowered to act on behalf of National University Corporation Tokai National Higher Education and Research System, AutoNetworks Technologies, Ltd., Sumitomo Wiring Systems, Ltd., and Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd., in the aforementioned application, to insert above the filing date and application number of said application, when known;

WHEREAS, National University Corporation Tokai National Higher Education And Research System, a Limited Liability Company organized under and pursuant to the laws of Japan having its principal place of business at 1, Furo-cho, Chikusa-ku, Nagoya-shi, Aichi 4648601, Japan; AutoNetworks Technologies, Ltd., a Limited Liability Company organized under and pursuant to the laws of Japan having its principal place of business at 1-14, Nishisuehirocho, Yokkaichi-shi, Mie, 5108503, Japan; Sumitomo Wiring Systems, Ltd., a Limited Liability Company organized under and pursuant to the laws of Japan having its principal place of business at 1-14, Nishisuehirocho, Yokkaichi-shi, Mie 5108503, Japan; and Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd., a Limited Liability Company organized under and pursuant to the laws of Japan having its principal place of business at 5-33, Kitahama 4-chome, Chuo-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka 5410041 Japan, collectively hereinafter called the ASSIGNEES, are desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the inventions therein disclosed and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

**AND, WHEREAS**, it is the intent of the *ASSIGNORS* to assign all rights to the above referenced application to the *ASSIGNEES*, including, but not limited to, all substantive rights in the above-referenced application as well as the right to claim priority, the right to be granted a patent in any and all countries and Regional Patent Offices, including, without limitation, the PCT Contracting States;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, *ASSIGNORS* hereby effective as of the latest signature date below, sell, assign and transfer unto said *ASSIGNEES*, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest,

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