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DECLARATION AND ASSIGNMENT**

Title of Invention: CONVEYANCE DEVICE

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

- This declaration is directed to:
  - [ ] the attached application, or
  - [ x ] United States application or PCT international application number:  
**PCT/JP2020/006908, filed on February 20, 2020**
  
- 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 application; and
- I am aware of the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all Information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR Section 1.56.

**Whereas**, each undersigned inventor has made certain inventions, improvements, and discoveries (herein referred to as the "INVENTION") disclosed in the above-identified patent application (herein referred to as the "APPLICATION");

**Whereas**, **MAKINO J CO., LTD.**, a corporation of **Japan** having a place of business at **4007, Nakatsu, Aikawa-machi, Aiko-gun, Kanagawa 243-0303, Japan** (herein referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), desires to acquire, and each undersigned inventor desires to grant to ASSIGNEE, the entire worldwide right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION and in and to any and all patent applications and patents directed thereto;

**Now, therefore**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency thereof being hereby acknowledged, each undersigned inventor (herein referred to "ASSIGNOR") hereby sells or has sold, assigns or has assigned, and otherwise transfers or has transferred to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, the entire worldwide right, title, and interest in and to the INVENTION, the APPLICATION, and any and all other patent applications and patents for the INVENTION which may be applied for or granted therefor in the United States and in

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ASSIGNOR covenants that he/she has the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned and has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith. ASSIGNOR acknowledges that ASSIGNEE may appoint any attorney or practitioner of ASSIGNEE'S choice to prosecute any application or other legal proceeding involving said invention and ASSIGNOR further acknowledges that any attorney or practitioner so appointed by ASSIGNEE does not represent ASSIGNOR and that such appointment by ASSIGNEE does not create any attorney client relationship between ASSIGNOR and any attorney or practitioner appointed by ASSIGNEE.

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