

## **GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY**

I/We, \_\_\_\_\_ of  
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hereby appoint ID No. 100140660 (Patent Attorney) Rie MORIMOTO and ID No. 100174148 (Patent Attorney) Kazunori MORIMOTO to be my/our lawful attorneys and carry out any and all of the following acts, namely:

1. To take all the necessary procedures for a patent application, application for registration of an extension of the term of a patent right, application for utility model registration, application for design registration, application for trademark (defensive mark) registration or application for renewal of period of duration of trademark right (right based on defensive mark registration) and to abandon or withdraw the aforementioned application,
2. To convert an application for utility model registration or design registration to a patent application,
3. To convert a patent application or application for design registration to an application for utility model registration,
4. To convert a patent application or application for utility model registration to an application for design registration,
5. To convert an application for trademark registration to an application for registration of a collective trademark or defensive mark,
6. To convert an application for registration of a collective trademark to an application for registration of a trademark or defensive mark,
7. To convert an application for registration of a defensive mark to an application for registration of a trademark or collective trademark,
8. To make or withdraw a priority claim based on a patent application or application for utility model registration in accordance with the provisions of Art. 41, para. 1 of the Patent Law or Art. 8, para. 1 of the Utility Model Law,
9. To take all the necessary procedures concerning a patent right, utility model right, design right, trademark right or right based on defensive mark registration or right with regard to the said rights, abandon the aforementioned rights or withdraw a demand, request or motion concerning the said procedures,
10. To file a request for laying-open of all patent applications,
11. To file an application for renewal of period of duration of trademark right or application for registration of reclassification,
12. To take all the necessary procedures concerning an opposition to all trademark (defensive mark) registrations,
13. To take all the necessary procedures concerning demand for trial for invalidation of a patent, registration of an extension of the term of a patent right, design registration, trademark registration, registration of reclassification, defensive mark registration or renewal registration of period of duration of trademark (defensive mark),
14. To file or withdraw a demand for a trial for correction regarding all patent rights,
15. To file or withdraw a demand for correction regarding all utility model registrations,
16. To take all the necessary procedures concerning a demand for a trial for cancellation of all trademark registrations,
17. To file or withdraw a demand for a trial against decision for final rejection of a patent application, application for registration of an extension of the term of a patent right, application for design registration, application for trademark (defensive mark) registration, application for renewal of period of duration of trademark right (right based on defensive mark registration) or application for registration of reclassification,

18. To file or withdraw a demand for a trial against decision for dismissal of amendment of all applications for design registration, applications for trademark registration and applications for defensive mark registration,
19. To file a demand for Hantei (advisory opinion) concerning technical scope of all patented inventions and registered utility models, scope of all registered designs and designs similar thereto, and validity of rights based on all trademark rights and defensive mark registrations,
20. To demand examination of a third person's patent application or application for utility model registration, provide information in accordance with the provisions of Art. 13, para. 2 of the Patent Law Enforcement Regulations or submit written explanation in accordance with the provisions of Art. 31, para. 3 of the same regulations (provided that the above includes a case to which the Old Utility Model Law Enforcement Regulations prior to the 1993 amendment are applicable mutatis mutandis),
21. To submit publications with regard to a third person's application for utility model registration in accordance with the provisions of Art. 22 of the Utility Model Law Enforcement Regulations,
22. To provide information with regard to a third person's application for trademark registration in accordance with the provisions of Art. 19 of the Trademark Law Enforcement Regulations,
23. To file or withdraw a demand for trial for invalidation of a third person's patent right, registration of an extension of the term of his/her patent right, utility model right, design right, trademark right, registration of reclassification, right based on defensive mark registration or renewal of trademark registration,
24. To file or withdraw an opposition to all of third person's trademark registrations and defensive mark registrations,
25. To file or withdraw a demand for trial of cancellation of trademark registration concerning a third person's trademark right,
26. To make a request for a technical opinion as to registrability of a third person's application for utility model registration or utility model registration,
27. To file a demand for Hantei (advisory opinion) concerning technical scope of all of third person's patented inventions and registered utility models, scope of all of third person's registered designs and designs similar thereto, and validity of rights based on all of third person's trademark rights and defensive mark registrations,
28. To take all the necessary procedures concerning the respective sections above in accordance with the Administrative Appeal Law,
29. To appoint or dismiss (a) sub-agent(s) to perform any and all of the aforementioned procedures.

Dated this day \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, 2011

By \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Please have the authorized person's signature)

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