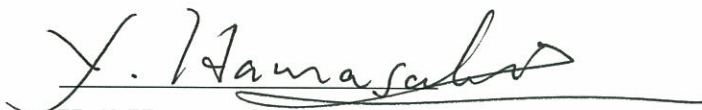


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To whom it may concern:

In my capacity as Executive Vice President of Meidensha Corporation (Meiden) owner of Meiden R&D Center, on behalf of Meiden I would like to send our official permission to install IEEE Milestone Plaque commemorating Gapples Metal Oxide Surge Arrester.

Yours faithfully
Meidensha Corporation



Yuji Hamasaki
Executive Vice President