

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES**

Ex parte TOMOYA YAMAKAWA et al.

**Appeal No. 2002-2082
Application 09/289,393**

ORDER REMANDING TO EXAMINER

Appellant filed on March 21, 2002, a “REQUEST FOR INITIALED PTO/SB/08 A & B FORM” (Paper No. 25). In this paper, applicants request that the examiner consider each of the listed documents, including JP 64-40024, that appear in their Information Disclosure Statement filed on December 30, 2002 (Paper No. 22).

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application be remanded to the examiner for consideration of applicant’s Request For Initialed PTO/SB/08 A & B Form filed on March 21, 2003, and for such further action as may be appropriate.

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It is important that the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences be informed promptly of any action affecting the appeal (i.e., abandonment, issue, reopening prosecution).

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