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William G. En, Minh Nan Ngo, Olov B. Karlsson, Maria Chow Chan

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):
Name: Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.

Internal Address: _____

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes

3. Nature of Conveyance:

- Assignment Merger
- Security Agreement Change of Name
- Other

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City: Sunnyvale State/Country CA ZIP: 94088-3453

Execution Date: May 12, 13 and 14, 1998

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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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A. Patent Application No(s).

Application No. 08/993,829 filed December 18, 1997

B. Patent No(s).

Additional numbers attached? Yes

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS WE, WILLIAM G. EN, MINH VAN NGO, OLOV B. KARLSSON, and MARIE CHOW CHAN of Milpitas, California; Union City, California; San Jose, California; and San Jose, California, respectively, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled METHODS FOR IN-SITU REMOVAL OF AN ANTI-REFLECTIVE COATING DURING A NITRIDE RESISTOR PROTECT ETCHING PROCESS, executed by us on the date of execution of this document, as shown below, and for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on December 18, 1997, and identified by United States Serial No. 08/993,829;

AND WHEREAS, Advanced Micro Devices, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware and having an address of One AMD Place, P. O. Box 3453, Sunnyvale, California 94088-3453 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt for and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, We do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Advanced Micro Devices, Inc., its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, We hereby agree with the said assignee that We will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that We will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

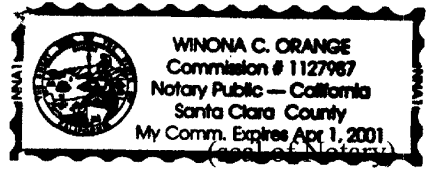
AND We request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said Advanced Micro Devices, Inc., its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

Date 5/12/98 William G. En
 Date 5/13/98 Minh Van Ngo
 Date 5/13/98 Olov B. Karlsson
 Date 5/14/98 Maria Chow Chan

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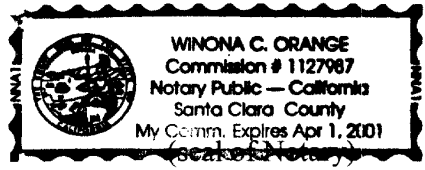


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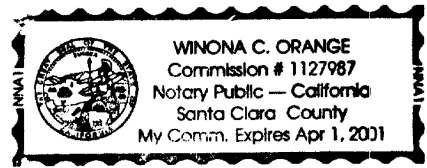
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