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WHEREAS, the undersigned, to wit:

1) **Francesco PULVIRENTI**

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(hereinafter ASSIGNOR), have made application for United States Letters Patent

X one: (a)   X   which was executed and is being filed herewith in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, titled **INTEGRATED SEMICONDUCTOR TRANSISTOR WITH CURRENT SENSING**

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AND WHEREAS, SGS-THOMSON MICROELECTRONICS S.r.l. (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Italy, and having its principal place of business at Via C. Olivetti, 2 I-20041 AGRATE BRIANZA (MI) Italy, is desirous of acquiring our entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, and in and to the said application and any Patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives its entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to said application and all patents which may be granted therefore, and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part and extensions thereof and ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as ASSIGNOR's interest is concerned, to the said ASSIGNEE of ASSIGNOR's entire right, title and interest.

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1) Francesco Pulvirenti  
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