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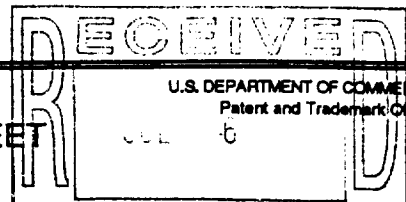
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WHEREAS, we, Amir M. Zarkesh, a citizen of Iran, residing at 5086 Avenida-Orinete, Tarzana, California 91356, and Haizhou Chen, a citizen of the Peoples Republic of China, residing at 734 Elkus Walk #107, Goleta, California 93117, have invented a "EFFICIENT POWER ANALYSIS METHOD FOR LOGIC CELLS WITH MANY OUTPUT SWITCHINGS" for which we have executed application papers for a U.S. patent thereon, which was filed on March 27, 1998, serial No. 09/049,681; and

WHEREAS, Synopsys, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 700 E. Middlefield Road, Mountain View, California 94043-4033, is desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to the Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefor in the United States of America and its territories and possessions, and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Amir M. Zarkesh and Haizhou Chen, do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Synopsys, Inc., its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in and to any and all Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefor, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but also for, to and in all other countries including all priority rights under the International Convention; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to Synopsys, Inc., its successors and assigns, in accordance with this Assignment.

WITNESS OUR HAND at San Francisco, CA, this 16 day of June, 1998.

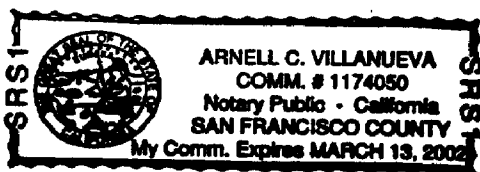
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On this 16th day of June, 1998, before me, ARNEL C. VILLANUEVA, a Notary Public, personally appeared Amir M. Zarkesh and ~~Haizhou Chen~~, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person/s whose name is/~~are~~ subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/~~she~~/they executed the same in his/~~her~~/their authorized capacities, and that by his/~~her~~/their signature/s on the instrument the person/s or the entity upon behalf of which the person/s acted, executed the instrument.

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