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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Mark Hsu, a citizen of the United States, residing at Fremont, California, Yann Le Cornec, a citizen of France, residing at Fremont, California and Julien T. Nguyen, a citizen of France, residing at Redwood City, California, have invented a "Sound Board Emulation Using Digital Signal Processor" for which we have executed application papers for a U.S. patent thereon, which was filed on August 17, 1998, Serial No. 09/135,151; and


WHEREAS, Sigma Designs, Inc., a California corporation, having a place of business at 46501 Landing Parkway, Fremont, CA 94538, 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 in all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Mark Hsu, Yann Le Cornec and Julien T. Nguyen, do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Sigma Designs, 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 said Sigma Designs, Inc., its successors and assigns, in accordance with this Assignment.

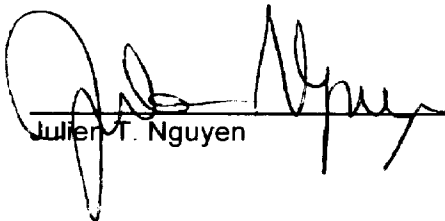
WITNESS OUR HAND at _____, this 28th day of OCTOBER, 1998.



Mark Hsu



Yann Le Cornec

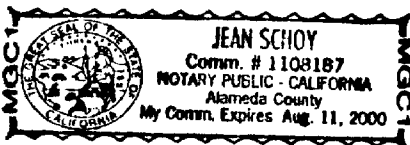


Julien T. Nguyen

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
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COUNTY OF ALAMEDA)

On this 28th day of OCTOBER, 1998, before me, JEAN SCHOY, a Notary Public, personally appeared Mark Hsu, Yann Le Cornec and Julien T. Nguyen personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the persons whose name are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same in their authorized capacities, and that by their signatures on the instrument the persons or the entity upon behalf of which the persons acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.





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