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Attached please find an assignment (document) for recordal.

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**IDENTIFICATION OF APPLICATION(S) AND/OR PATENT(S)  
FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) RECORDAL**  
(37 C.F.R. § 3.21 and 37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(4))

NOTE: See 37 C.F.R. § 3.21.

NOTE: § 3.21 does not apply to documents other than assignment. Notice of June 24, 1992 (1140 O.G. 63-72 at 67).

1. This assignment is for the following patent application and/or issued patent:

National application: AN: 0 / filed on  
Provisional application: / filed on  
International application: PCT/ /  
Patent No: Issued:

(complete if applicable) which was previously assigned and recorded

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NOTE: If an assignment of a patent application filed under § 1.53(b) is executed concurrently with, or subsequent to, the execution of the patent application, but before the patent application is filed, it must identify the patent application by its date of execution, name of each inventor, and title of the invention so that there can be no mistake as to the patent application intended. If an assignment of a provisional application under § 1.53(c) is executed before the provisional application is filed, it must identify the provisional application by name of each inventor and title of the invention so that there can be no mistake as to the provisional application intended. 37 C.F.R. § 3.21.

(also complete the following, if applicable)

and also for the applications and/or patents shown on the attached list of FURTHER APPLICATION(S) and/or PATENT(S) BEING ASSIGNED

Number of pages added \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: "Where there is a listing of properties contained within a document, any listing may be copied and attached to the cover sheet to reduce the amount of typing necessary. A notation of this attachment can be made in lieu of entering every property identification number on the cover sheet. Notice of June 24, 1992 (1140 O.G. 63-72 at 67).

**TOTAL NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS AND/OR PATENTS  
AND TOTAL FEE**

NOTE: All requests to record documents must be accompanied by the appropriate fee; a fee is required for each application or patent against which the document is recorded as identified in the cover sheet. The recording fee is set in § 1.21(h). 37 C.F.R. § 3.41.

2. A. The total number of applications and/or patents identified in this cover sheet is \_\_\_\_\_  
(1)

B. The total fee is (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)):

\_\_\_\_\_ × \$40.00 = \$ 40.00  
Total number of applications and/or patents

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C. Payment of fee is made by:

the attached check for \$ 40.00

Please charge Account \_\_\_\_\_

the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

A duplicate of this cover sheet is attached.

Please charge Account 06-0510 for any fee deficiency or credit to account any overpayment.

**NAME OF PARTY(IES) CONVEYING INTEREST**

(37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(1))

*NOTE: "The term 'party' as used in this rule [§ 3.31] means the person whose name appears on the documents to be recorded, that person's attorney or registered agent, or a corporate officer where a corporation's name appears on the documents." Notice of June 24, 1992 (1140 O.G. 63-72, at 65); M.P.E.P. § 302.07, 6th ed.*

3. The party(ies) conveying interest is (are):

Name 1: Thomas B. Templeton

Name 2: Charles F. Horejs, Jr.

Name 3: Thomas H. Templeton, Jr.

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY(IES) RECEIVING INTEREST**

(37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(2))

4. The rights are being conveyed to:

Name: Micromodular Data Solutions, Inc.

Address: 1582 Norman Ave.

Santa Clara, CA 95054

**DESCRIPTION OF INTEREST CONVEYED OR  
TRANSACTION RECORDED (37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(3))**

5. The accompanying document intends to accomplish:

- an assignment.
- a security agreement.
- a merger.
- a license.
- a change of name.
- a change of address.
- other:

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF PARTY TO WHOM  
CORRESPONDENCE SHOULD BE MAILED (37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(5))**

6. Please address correspondence to:

Name: Thomas C. Feix  
Address: 241 North San Mateo Drive  
San Mateo, CA 94401  
Telephone No.: ( 650 ) 342-4513

**DATE ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) EXECUTED  
(37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(7))**

7. A.  The attached assignment (document) was executed Thomas B. Templeton  
on Nov. 7, 1998  
Date

NOTE: If there is more than one conveying party who executed on different dates, indicate the date of execution of the assignment document for each conveying party.

B.  The attached assignment was executed by Charles F. Horejs, Jr.  
on Nov. 16, 1998  
Date

The attached assignment was executed by Thomas H. Templeton, Jr.  
on Oct. 19, 1998  
Date

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## LANGUAGE OF ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) TO BE RECORDED

NOTE: "The Office will accept and record non-English language documents only if accompanied by an English translation signed by the individual making the translation." 37 C.F.R. § 3.26.

8. The attached document:

- is in the English language.
- is not in the English language and an English translation signed by the individual making the translation is attached.

## ORIGINAL DOCUMENT OR TRUE COPY SUBMITTED

NOTE: See 37 C.F.R. § 3.24.

9. Submitted herewith is:

- the original document.
- a true copy of the original document, which I certify to be a true copy.

NOTE: "If the original [assignment] document is two-sided or the wrong size, the practitioner can comply with the requirement [set out in 37 C.F.R. § 3.24] by providing a true copy of the original document using only one side of each page on the correct size paper." Notice of June 24, 1992, 1140 O.G. 63-76, at 67.

NOTE: "Certification shall be made by the person submitting a copy of an original document that the document submitted is a true copy of the original. The certification is not required to be in an oath or declaration form." M.P.E.P., 6th ed., § 302.01.

## ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) TO RECORD CHANGE OF ADDRESS

*(check item, if applicable)*

10.  Because the purpose of the attached documents is to record a change of address of the assignee, the particulars of the previously recorded assignments for each application and/or patent are shown.

## ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) TO RECORD CHANGE OF NAME

*(check item, if applicable)*

11.  Because the purpose of the attached documents is to record a change of name of the assignee, the particulars of the previously recorded assignments for each application and/or patent are shown.

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**CHANGE OF PATENT MAINTENANCE FEE ADDRESS**

*(check item, if applicable)*

12.  A change of address to which correspondence is to be sent regarding patent maintenance fees is being sent to the Office separately.

**STATEMENT (37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(9)) AND SIGNATURE (37 C.F.R. § 3.31(a)(10))**

13. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

NOTE: "The term 'party' as used in this rule [§ 3.31] means the person whose name appears on the documents to be recorded, that person's attorney or registered agent, or a corporate officer where a corporation's name appears on the document." Notice of June 24, 1992, 1140 O.G. 63-76, at 65; M.P.E.P. § 302.07, 6th ed.

Date: Nov. 24, 1998

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of party submitting document

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of party submitting document

*(complete the following, if the party submitting the document is applicant's attorney)*

*Thomas C. Feix*

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF PRACTITIONER

Reg. No.: 34,592

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Thomas C. Feix

*(type or print name of practitioner)*

Tel. No.: ( 650 ) 342-4513

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14. The total number of pages being submitted, including cover sheet attachment(s), and documents are:

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Total number of pages submitted

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, WE,

THOMAS B. TEMPLETON, a citizen of the United States and residing at 40759 Robin Street, City of Fremont, County of Alameda, State of California 94538;

CHARLES F. HOREJS, JR., a citizen of the United States and residing at 35 LaCrosse, City of Morgan Hill, County of Santa Clara, State of California 95037; and

THOMAS H. TEMPLETON, JR., a citizen of the United States and residing at 40759 Robin Street, City of Fremont, County of Alameda, State of California 94538.


have invented a new and useful REINFORCED MICRO-MODULE which we have executed an application for Letters Patent of even date herewith; and

WHEREAS, MICROMODULAR DATA SOLUTIONS, INC. of the city of Santa Clara, County of Santa Clara, State of California, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the invention(s) disclosed therein;

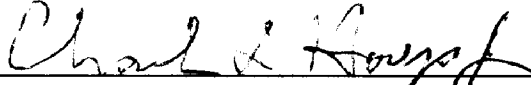
NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Thirty Dollars (\$30.00), divided between us, and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, WE, THOMAS B. TEMPLETON, CHARLES F. HOREJS, JR. and THOMAS H. TEMPLETON, JR. do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto MICROMODULAR DATA SOLUTIONS, INC., its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right for the territory of the United States of America and for all foreign countries, in and to said invention(s) and said application, and any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor, and any and all reissues of said Letters Patent including the subject matter of any and all claims which may

be obtained in said Letters Patent, and in and to any application for Letters Patent that may be filed by or for MICROMODULAR DATA SOLUTIONS, INC., its successors, assigns or other legal representatives in countries foreign to the United States of America. and in and to any Letters patent of countries foreign to the United States of America that may mature therefrom, the same to be held and enjoyed by MICROMODULAR DATA SOLUTIONS, INC. for its own use and behoof, and for its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent are granted or reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made.

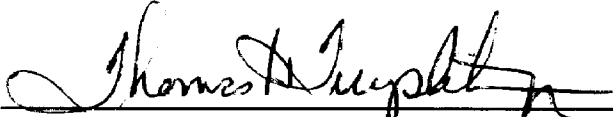
WITNESS my hand this day.

Date: 7 NOV 98        
THOMAS B. TEMPLETON

Place: Santa Clara

Date: 16 NOV 1998        
CHARLES F. MOREJS, JR.

Place: Santa Clara, CA

Date: 19 OCT 98        
THOMAS H. TEMPLETON, JR.

Place: Santa Clara



STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
 ) SS  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1998, before me \_\_\_\_\_  
a Notary Public in and for said county and state, personally appeared  
THOMAS B. TEMPLETON,  
personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the  
person whose name is subscribed to this instrument, and who acknowledged that he executed  
it.

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On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1998, before me \_\_\_\_\_  
a Notary Public in and for said county and state, personally appeared

CHARLES F. HOREJS, JR.

personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the  
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