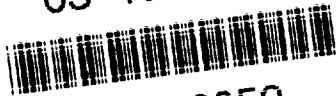


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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Xilinx, Inc.

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 2100 Logic DriveCity: San Jose State: CA Zip: 95124
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☐ Association \_\_\_\_\_

☐ General Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Limited Partnership: \_\_\_\_\_

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A. Patent Application No.(s): 08/074,978

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☐ Yes ☒ No

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Name: Michael A. Levy, Esq.C/O Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLPInternal Address: 31st Floor, Telesis TowerStreet Address: One Montgomery Street

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# U.S. PATENT APPLICATION ASSIGNMENT

This Patent Application Assignment (this "**Assignment**") is made as of January 4, 1999 by MI Acquisition LLC, a Colorado limited liability company ("**Assignor**"), to Xilinx, Inc. a Delaware corporation ("**Xilinx**"), and Xilinx Ireland, a company formed under the laws of Ireland ("**Xilinx Ireland**", and together with Xilinx, "**Assignee**").

## RECITALS

A. Assignor and Assignee have entered into an Asset Purchase Agreement dated December 22, 1998 (the "**Purchase Agreement**").

B. Pursuant to the Purchase Agreement, Assignor desires to assign to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the patent applications filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office and set forth on Exhibit A hereto (the "**Patent Applications**"), together with the goodwill of the business pertaining thereto.

## AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing premises, the mutual covenants and agreements contained in the Purchase Agreement and the covenants and agreements in this Assignment and to induce Assignee to consummate the transactions contemplated by the Purchase Agreement, Assignor agrees as follows:

1. Assignor does hereby sell, transfer, convey, assign and deliver to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Patent Applications and any patents that may issue therefrom, including any foreign counterparts, divisions, continuations, or reissues of such patents, together with the goodwill of the business pertaining thereto, the same to be held by Assignee for Assignee's own use and enjoyment, and for the use and enjoyment of Assignee's successors, assigns and other legal representatives, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this Assignment and sale had not been made; together with all claims for damages by reason of past infringements of the Patent Applications, along with the right to sue for and collect such damages for the use and benefit of Assignee and its successors, assigns and other legal representatives.

2. Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any officer of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of intellectual property protection or applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to Assignee and its successors, assigns and other legal representatives in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignee has executed this Assignment on the date first  
above written.

MI ACQUISITION LLC,

By: **The Diversified Group Incorporated,  
its Manager**

By: 

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

JAMES HABER

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

PRESIDENT

Acknowledgment by Notary Public

State of NY

County of NY

On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1999, before me, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared James Hake, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Seal:

Signature:

Name:

Denise Cahill

, Notary Public

DENISE CAHILL  
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# EXHIBIT A

Description	Serial Number	Filing Date
Partitioning of Boolean Logic Equations into Physical Logic Devices	08/074,978	6/10/93