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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we the below-named inventor (s) whose residence and post office are as stated below, have invented certain new and useful improvements in “ A Magnetically Coupled Autonomous Battery Equalization Circuit” for which an application for United States Letters Patent was executed by us on even date herewith, and

WHEREAS, LOCKHEED MARTIN CORPORATION, a corporation of the State of Maryland, having an office at 6801 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20817, hereinafter called the ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the application and the invention and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States of America and in any and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we hereby assign to ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in the application and the invention, to all rights of priority thereto pursuant to the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and in any Letters Patent on the invention that may be granted in the United States of America and in any and all countries foreign thereto, including any and all Letters Patent that are divisions, reissues, continuations, substitutions or extensions of any Letters Patent or applications therefor on the invention.

We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and the officials of any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to said ASSIGNEE.

Further, we hereby agree to communicate to said ASSIGNEE or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention, to testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, renewal and reissue applications, to execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said ASSIGNEE, and to make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid said ASSIGNEE and its representatives to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in the United States of America and in any and all countries foreign thereto.

We further agree that the terms, covenants and conditions of this Assignment shall inure to the benefit of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and shall be binding on us, our heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

Name of FIRST Inventor: William Anders Peterson

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Date: 11/30/99 Signature: William Anders Peterson

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County of Broome)

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On this 30th day of November 1999, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared William Anders Peterson, to me personally known to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed said instrument as his free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

[Signature]
Notary Public

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GEOFFREY H. KRAUSS
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Name of SECOND Inventor: Garey George Roden

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Date: 11/29/99 Signature: Garey George Roden

State of New York)

SS:

County of Broome)

On this 29th day of November 1999, before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared Garey George Roden, to me personally known to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed said instrument as his free and voluntary act and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

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Notary Public

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GEOFFREY H. KRAUSS
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