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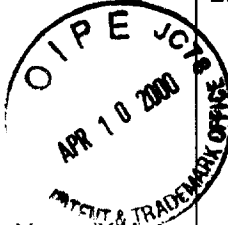
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## ASSIGNMENT

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WHEREAS, I, Roberta BURGER<sup>V</sup>(hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), having a post office address of Albert Schweitzer Strasse, 48, I-81735 Munich, Germany, am the sole inventor of an invention entitled "A LEVEL SHIFTER FOR MULTIPLE SUPPLY VOLTAGE CIRCUITRY," as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 28, 1999 and having an application number 09/473,366 that claims priority based on an application filed in Italy identified by Application No. MI98A002844, filed December 29, 1998.

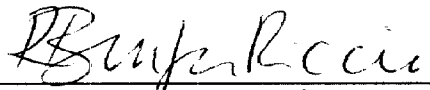
WHEREAS, STMMicroelectronics S.r.l. (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of Italy having a place of business at Via C. Olivetti, 2, I-20041 Agrate Brianza (Milano), Italy is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all countries of the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all countries of the world, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file applications worldwide directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from the first filed application to which said worldwide applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR had ASSIGNOR been the original owner and this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR agrees to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and letters patent in all countries of the world on said

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invention, for litigation regarding letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.



Roberta BÜRGER RICCIO

Date: 15/02/00

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that the above person signed this instrument of his/her own free will, as a voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_