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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, John H. Highfill, III, Matthew K. Ferguson, and Jeffrey Cranmer, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented and are the owners of an invention entitled "Amplifier Including Over-voltage Protection Pre-regulator and Damping Loop", said invention being fully set forth and described in the application for Letters Patent of the United States which has been prepared in connection with said invention, and

WHEREAS, LORD CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and engaged in business at 111 Lord Drive, Cary, North Carolina, 27511, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the said invention and any and all applications for Letters Patent and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that for valuable consideration, I have sold and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto the said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and the provisional application, together with any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisions thereof, or any non-provisional applications claiming priority thereto and in and to all Letters Patent of the United States and all foreign countries or reissues and reexaminations thereof which may be granted thereof or thereon, for the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, together with the right to claim the priority of said application in all foreign countries in accordance with the International Convention, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me if this assignment and sale had not been made.

I hereby covenant and agree that, at the same time of execution and delivery of these presents, I possess full title to the invention and application above-mentioned, and that I have the unencumbered right and authority to make this assignment.

I further covenant and agree and bind my heirs, legal representatives and assigns, promptly to communicate to said assignee and its representatives any facts known to us relating to said invention, to testify in any interference or legal proceedings involving said invention, to execute any additional papers which may be requested to confirm the right of the assignee, its representatives, successors or assigns to secure patent or similar protection for the said invention in all countries and to vest in the assignee complete title to the said invention and Letters Patent, without further compensation, but at the expense of said assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal.

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and for the state and county afores	ay of <u>fifer</u> , 2000, before me, a Notary Public in aid, appeared Jeffrey Cranmer , known to me to be the instrument, who signed the instrument in my presence, edged as his free act and deed.
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