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 (2) Matthew HENRY
 (3) Ryan S. HOLMQVIST
 (4) Steven E. STRAUSS

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ADDITIONAL NAME(S) OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES) ATTACHED? ☐ YES☒ NO

2. PARTY(IES) (ASSIGNEE(S)) RECEIVING INTEREST:

NAME: Agere Systems Guardian Corp.

ADDRESS: Suite 105, 14645 N.W. 77th Avenue, Miami Lakes, FL 33014ADDITIONAL NAME(S) & ADDRESS(ES) ATTACHED? ☐ YES☒ NO

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ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, we, **William R. BULLMAN** of **Bethlehem** in the County of **Northampton** and State of **Pennsylvania**, and **Matthew HENRY**, of **Fogelsville**, in the County of **Lehigh** and State of **Pennsylvania**, and **Ryan S. HOLMQVIST**, of **Bethlehem**, in the County of **Northampton** and State of **Pennsylvania**, and **Steven E. STRAUSS**, of **Orefield**, in the County of **Lehigh** and State of **Pennsylvania**, hereby sell, assign and transfer to **Agere Systems Guardian Corp.**, a corporation of the State of **Delaware**, having an office at **Suite 105, 14645 N.W. 77th Avenue, Miami Lakes, FL 33014 U.S.A.**, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to certain inventions related to **LINK INTEGRITY DUALITY FOR NETWORK DEVICES IN COLD POWER STATE**, described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by us on even date herewith, and all the rights and privileges in said application and under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted in the United States for said inventions; and we also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to **Agere Systems Guardian Corp.** the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize **Agere Systems Guardian Corp.** to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of **Agere Systems Guardian Corp.** to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said invention be issued to **Agere Systems Guardian Corp.** in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as **Agere Systems Guardian Corp.** may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to **Agere Systems Guardian Corp.** but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

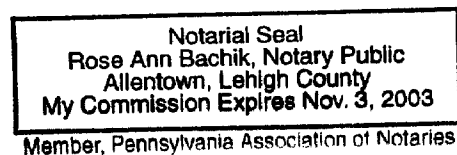
William R. Bullman
William R. BULLMAN

Date: 3-19-01

United States of America)
State of Pennsylvania) ss.:
County of Lehigh)

On this 19th day of March, 2001, before me personally came [William R. BULLMAN], to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Rose Ann Bachik
Notary Public



Matthew R. Henry
Matthew R. HENRY

Date: 3-19-01

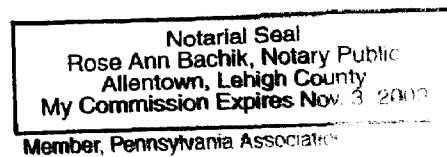
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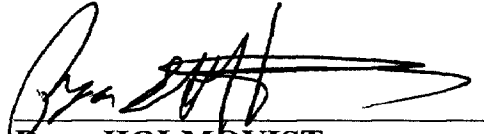
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On this 19th day of March, 2001, before me personally came [Matthew R. HENRY], to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

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Ryan HOLMQVIST

Date: 3/21/2001

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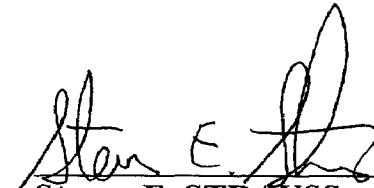
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On this 21st day of March, 2001, before me personally came [Ryan HOLMQVIST], to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.


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Rose Ann Bachik, Notary Public
Allentown, Lehigh County
My Commission Expires Nov. 3, 2003
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Steven E. STRAUSS


Date: 19 March 2001

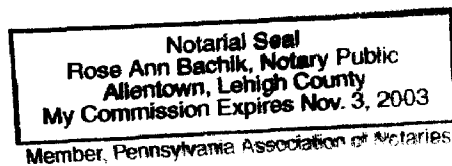
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On this 19th day of March, 2001, before me personally came [Steven E. STRAUSS], to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.


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