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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Philip M. LESSNER, Brian J. MELODY, John T. KINARD, Erik K. REED, Albert K. HARRINGTON, Daniel F. PERSICO and David A. WHEELER, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **“SURFACE MOUNT ALUMINUM CAPACITOR HAVING ANODE FOIL ANODIZED IN AN AQUEOUS PHOSPHATE SOLUTION”** set forth in U.S. Provisional Application 60/296,725 filed on June 11, 2001 and in the United States utility application Serial No. 09/891,208 filed on June 26, 2001, claiming the benefit of this Provisional Application and

WHEREAS, KEMET ELECTRONICS CORPORATION, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the South Carolina, having a place of business at P.O. Box 5928, Highway 385 S.E., Greenville, South Carolina 29606, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States or any foreign country which may be granted therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said Philip M. LESSNER, Brian J. MELODY, John T. KINARD, Erik K. REED, Albert K. HARRINGTON, Daniel F. PERSICO and David A. WHEELER, respectively, by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto KEMET ELECTRONICS CORPORATION, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said invention as described in the said application, and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof;

AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks or any other proper officer or agency of any country to issue all said Letters Patent to said assignee;

AND WE HEREBY warrant and covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned and that we have not executed and will not execute any instrument or assignment in conflict herewith;

AND WE HEREBY agree to communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention, to execute all divisional, continuation, reissue and foreign applications, sign all lawful documents and make all rightful oaths relating to said invention, and to testify in any judicial or administrative proceeding and generally do everything possible to aid the

said assignee to obtain and enforce said Letters Patent in the United States or any foreign country when requested so to do by said assignee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand and seal.

Sept. 7, 2001  
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On this 7<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2000, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Albert Kennedy HARRINGTON, Brian John MELODY, John Tony KINARD, Philip Michael LESSNER and David Alexander WHEELER, to me known and known to me to be the individuals of those names, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be their free act and deed.

(SEAL)

Billy J. Cybell  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:  
30 Sept 2007