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PARTIES TO THE ASSIGNMENT:

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BACKGROUND OF THIS ASSIGNMENT:

Inventors have conceived certain new and useful inventions disclosed in a United States patent application titled "Methods of Forming Conductive Contacts to Conductive Structures, and Integrated Circuitry".

MICRON TECHNOLOGY, INC. (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in said inventions and with respect to any Letters Patent that may be granted with respect to the inventions in both the United States and in all foreign countries.

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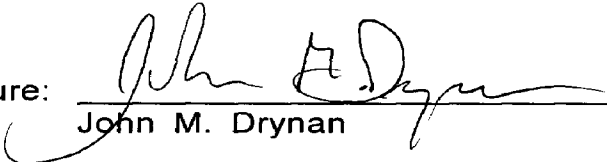
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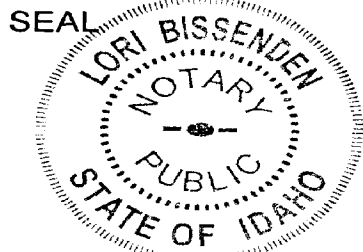
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Dated: 16 OCT 01 Signature: 
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State of Idaho)
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BEFORE ME, this 16th day of October, 2001 personally appeared the above-named inventor, known to me to be the person who is described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein expressed.




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