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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, SCHLUMBERGER TECHNOLOGIES, INC, a Delaware corporation, ("Assignor") owns all right, title, and interest in and to the U.S. utility patent application no. 09/227,747, titled "Feature-Based Defect Detection," filed on January 8, 1999 (the "Patent Application"); and

WHEREAS, APPLIED MATERIALS, INC., a Delaware corporation, ("Assignee") desires to acquire Assignor's entire right, title, and interest in and to the Patent Application, and in and to the inventions disclosed in the Patent Application, and to the Future Patents (as hereinafter defined);

Now Therefore, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all right, title, and interest in and to the Patent Application, and to all future patents which may be granted therefor throughout the world, and all counterparts, divisions, reissues, reexaminations, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part and extensions thereof (collectively, "Future Patents"), together with all claims, causes of action and damages for past infringement, if any, of said Patent Application and Future Patents; and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the United States Patent and Trademark Office and other patent offices throughout the world to issue all Future Patents resulting therefrom insofar as Assignor's interest is concerned, to Assignee.

Assignor also hereby sells, assigns, and transfers to Assignee and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives all right, title, and interest to the inventions disclosed in the Patent Application and Future Patents throughout the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents, utility models, industrial models and designs for such inventions in Assignee's own name throughout the world including all rights of priority, all rights to publish cautionary notices reserving ownership of such inventions, and all rights to register such inventions in appropriate registries; and Assignor further agrees to execute any and all powers of attorney, applications, assignments, declarations, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith reasonably necessary to perfect such right, title, and interest in Assignee and its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

Assignor hereby further agrees that it will, at the expense of Assignee, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all counterparts, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue, reexamination, and substitute applications, make all lawful oaths, and generally do everything possible to vest title in Assignee and to aid Assignee and its successors, assigns and legal representatives in obtaining and enforcing proper protection for the Patent Application and Future Patents in such countries as Assignee may elect.

PATENT REEL: 012427 FRAME: 0496 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has caused this instrument to be executed by its duly authorized corporate officer, effective as of the 20th day of November, 2001.

SCHLUMBERGER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

By: Ashot Belani

Name: Ashok Belani

Title: Vice President

Date: November 17, 2001

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The preceding Assignment was acknowledged before me this ______ day of

November, 2001 by Ashok Belani.

Leticia G. Rosenthal
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