04-10-2002 ER SHEET U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FORM PTO-1595 (Rev. 6-93) Patent and Trademark Office OMB No. 065: -0011 (exp. 4/94) 2000P07584US 102050099 To the Honorable Commissioner ached original documents or copy thereof. 1. Name of conveying party(ies): 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies) Infineon Technologies North America Corp. Name: Infineon Technologies AG 3-28-02 Internal Address: Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ___ Yes _X_ No Street Address: St. Martin-Str. 53 3. Nature of conveyance: 81541Munich Germany X Assignment ___ Merger City:____State: ____ ___ Security Agreement Change of Name __ Other _ Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ___ Yes _X_ No Execution Date: March 7, 2002 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: A. Patent Application No.(s) B. Patent No.(s) 09/551,757 Additional numbers attached? Yes X No 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: one concerning document should be mailed: Name: _Elsa Keller__ 7. Total Fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 40.00 Internal Address: Enclosed Siemens Corporation X Authorized to be charged to deposit account Intellectual Property Department Street Address: 186 Wood Avenue South 8. Deposit Account No. City: Iselin State: NJ ZIP: 08830 19-2179 DO NOT USE THIS SPACE 9. Statement and signature To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Stanton C. Braden, Esq. Reg. No: 32,556 Signature Name of Person Signing Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: ___3__ 04/09/2002 DBYRNE 00000250 192179 09551757 40.00 CH 01 FC:581

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ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, We, Infineon Technologies North America Corp., hereinafter referred to as Assignor, hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Infineon Technologies AG, a corporation, organized and existing under the laws of Germany, having its principal place of business at St. Martin Str. 53, 81541 Munich, Germany,

hereinafter referred to as Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, in and for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all inventions which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters patent,

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and entitled: Method For Forming An Integrated Barrier/Plug For A Stacked Capacitor

in and to said application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said inventions; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on said inventions;

Assignor agrees that Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said inventions in its own name;

Assignor agrees that, at the request of the Assignee and, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignee, Assignor will carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this Assignment; execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all said inventions; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to Assignee, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said inventions and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which Assignee shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and mainlining proper patent protection for said inventions and for vesting title to said inventions, and all applications for patents and all patents on inventions in said Assignee;

PATENT REEL: 012760 FRAME: 0475 Covenant with Assignee that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

Infineon Technologies North America Corp.

Gregory Bibbes

Its Secretary Duly Authorized

State of <u>California</u>)
County of <u>Santa Clara</u>)

RECORDED: 03/28/2002

On this <u>7</u> day of <u>Nerck</u> 2002, before me, the undersigned Notary Public, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Gregory Bibbes,

personally known to me proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) _____ subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that executed it in his authorized capacity on behalf of the corporation named therein, and that by his signature on the instrument that such corporation executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

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Santa Clara County
My Comm. Expires June 22, 2004

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