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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS WE, TUQIANG NI of Fremont, California, KENJI TAKESHITA of Fremont, California, TOM CHOI of San Jose, California and FRANK Y. LIN of Fremont, California, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled VACUUM PLASMA PROCESSOR APPARATUS AND METHOD, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on June 30, 2000, and identified by United States Serial No. 09/607,326;

AND WHEREAS, Lam Research Corporation, a corporation of the State of <u>Delaware</u> and having an address of 4650 Cushing Parkway, Fremont, CA 94538-6516 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt for and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, We do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Lam Research Corporation, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, We hereby agree with the said assignee that We will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that We will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuations, continuations-inpart, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

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