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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks. Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof. Name of conveying party(ies): 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies): David L. Halbmaier Entegris, Inc. Barry Gregorson 3500 Lyman Boulevard Chaska, MN 55318 Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ___ Yes _X_ No Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ___ Yes X No Nature of conveyance: X Assignment Merger Other: __ Execution Date(s): January 8, 2003 Application number(s) or patent number(s): 10/282,924 If this document is being filed together with a new non-provisional application, the execution date of the application is: A. Patent Application No(s). B. Patent No(s). 10/282,924 Additional numbers attached? ____ Yes __X_ No Name and address of party to whom correspondence 6. Total number of applications and concerning document should be mailed: patents involved: 1 Customer No. 24113 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40.00 Douglas J. Christensen X Enclosed Patterson, Thuente, Skaar & Christensen, P.A. 4800 IDS Center Authorized to be charged to deposit 80 South 8th Street account Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-2100 Deposit Account Number: 16-0631 (Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account) 10282924 02/05/2003 SDENBOB1 00000099 160631 40.00 OP DO NOT USE THIS SPACE 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. Douglas J. Christensen

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, David L. Halbmaier, of 26395 Shorewood Oaks Drive, Shorewood, Minnesota 55331 and Barry Gregorson, of 19550 Excelsior Boulevard, Deephaven, Minnesota 55331, have invented certain new and useful improvements in WAFER CONTAINER WASHING APPARATUS, for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States has been made, and which may be identified in the United States Patent Office by Application No. 10/282,924, filed October 29, 2002.

WHEREAS, Entegirs, Inc. ("Assignee"), a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Minnesota, and having its principal offices at 3500 Lyman Boulevard, Chaska, Minnesota 55318, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration to us in hand paid by said Assignee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said provisional/utility application, all applications claiming priority to said provisional/utility application including all divisions, continuations or renewals thereof, and the Letters Patent, both foreign and domestic, that may or shall issue, therefrom including all reissues or extensions of such patents including all of our rights under the International Convention, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to the above mentioned Assignee in accordance herewith.

We hereby authorize the above-mentioned Assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to insert in this instrument the date of execution and/or filing date and application number of said application when ascertained.

We further authorize said Assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent, in its own name if desired, in any and all foreign countries, and additionally to claim the filing date of said United States application and/or otherwise take advantage of the provisions of the International Convention.

Upon said consideration we do hereby covenant and agree with the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, that we will not execute in writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that we or our executors or administrators will at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as said Assignee, its successors and assigns, 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, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights occurring as a result of

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set my hand and affixed our seal as dated below.

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David L. Halbmaier

Date: 1-8-63

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