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1. Name of conveying party(ies): Kenneth Wilsher
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2. Name and Address of Receiving party(ies): NPTest, Inc.
150 Baytech Drive, San Jose, CA 95134-2302

3. Nature of Conveyance: Assignment
Execution Date: 02/28/03

4. New Patent Application entitled: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACCESSING INTERNAL NODES OF AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT USING IC PACKAGE SUBSTRATE

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Ronald M. Pomeranke
Address: Wagner, Murabito & Hao LLP
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6. Total Number of applications and patents involved: ONE

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Date: March 4, 2003

Ronald M. Pomeranke
Name Ronald M. Pomeranke
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Assignment to NPTest, Inc.

In consideration of good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we
Kenneth Wilsher

do hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto NPTest, Inc. (hereinafter called NPTest), a Delaware Corporation having its principal place of business at 150 Baytech Drive, San Jose, Ca 95134-2302, and its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements, including the right of priority in, to, and under, the application for the United States patent entitled:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACCESSING INTERNAL NODES OF AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT
 USING IC PACKAGE SUBSTRATE

filed herewith and the inventions set forth and described therein, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of countries foreign thereto which may be granted thereon or therefor; or

Serial No.: _____ filed on _____ and the inventions set forth and described therein, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of countries foreign thereto which may be granted thereon or therefor;

And for the above consideration, I/we agree promptly upon request of NPTest, its successors or assigns, to execute and deliver without further compensation any power of attorney, assignment, application, whether original, continuation, divisional or reissue, or other papers which may be necessary or desirable fully to secure to NPTest, its successors and assigns, the inventions described in said application and all patent rights therein, in the United States and in any country foreign thereto, and to cooperate and assist in the prosecution of interference proceedings involving said inventions and in the adjudication or reexamination of said Letters Patent provided the expenses which may be incurred by me/us in lending such cooperation and assistance are paid by NPTest.

I/we further covenant with NPTest, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives 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;

In witness whereof, I/we hereunto set my/our hand(s) and seal:

Inventor's Signature: *Kenneth Wilsher* Date: 2/28/2003

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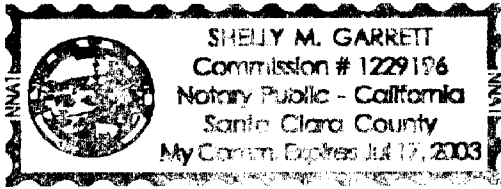
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