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Transmittal of an Assignment

- Name of conveying party(ies): Robert Q. Xu
Application No.: Group Art Unit:
Filed: 06/15/04 Examiner:
- Name and Address of Receiving party(ies): Vishay-Siliconix
2201 Laurelwood Road, Santa Clara, CA 95054
- Nature of Conveyance: Assignment
Execution Date: 06/03/04
- New Patent Application entitled: SELF-ALIGNED CONTACT IN A SEMICONDUCTOR
DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING THE SAME
- Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:
Name: Eric J. Gash
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- Total Number of applications and patents involved: ONE **10/869382**
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Assignment to VISHAY-SILICONIX

In consideration of good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I/we Robert Q. Xu

do hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto Vishay-Siliconix (hereinafter called Vishay-Siliconix), a California Corporation having its principal place of business at 2201 Laurelwood Road, Santa Clara, CA 95054, 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:

SELF-ALIGNED CONTACT IN A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING THE SAME

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 Vishay-Siliconix, 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 Vishay-Siliconix, 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 Vishay-Siliconix.

I/we further covenant with Vishay-Siliconix, 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: Robert Q. Xu Date: June 3, 2004

State of California
County of Santa Clara

Before me this 3rd day of June, 2004 personally appeared Robert Q. Xu who personally known or ~~proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person~~ who acknowledged the foregoing instrument of assignment to be his free act and deed.

Notary Stamp/Seal

Catherine Woodbury
Notary Public

