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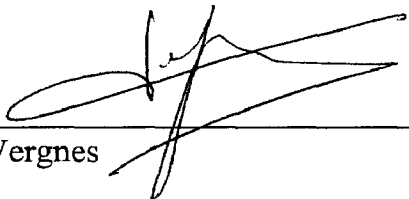
ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Alain Vergnes, a citizen of France, residing at 4 Allee de la Montagne, Trets 13530, France, hereinafter referred to as Assignor, have invented a "**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A SMOOTHING CURRENT CONSUMPTION IN AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT**" for which I have executed application papers for a U.S. Patent thereon; which is being filed herewith; and

WHEREAS, Atmel Corporation, a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 2325 Orchard Parkway, San Jose, California 95131, hereinafter referred to as Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to the Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefore in the United States of America and its territories and possessions, and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the Assignor, do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in and to any and all Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefor, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but also for, to and in all other countries including all priority rights under the International Convention; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said Assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with this Assignment.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto signed his/her name to this assignment on the date indicated below.



Alain Vergnes

02 June 2004
Date