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Name: Infineon Technologies North America Corp.

Street Address: 1730 North First Street

City: San Jose State: CA ZIP: 95112

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For good and valuable consideration, I, **Andreas Knorr**, residing at 2607 Trailside Drive #2, Austin, TX, US 78704, a citizen of Germany;

hereby sell, assign, and transfer to Infineon Technologies North America Corp., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Delaware, having its principal place of business at, 1730 North First Street, San Jose, CA 95112;

hereinafter "Assignee", its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent, which has been executed by the undersigned concurrently herewithin, and is entitled:

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Date:

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Andreas Knorr