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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, I, **YA-HONG XIE**, a citizen of The United States of America, residing at 200 South Almont Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90211 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR"), has invented a certain invention entitled **METHOD FOR FABRICATING SHALLOW TRENCHES** for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America is being filed (Attorney Docket No. 2002-522-1); and

WHEREAS, THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California and having its place of business at 1111 Franklin Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Oakland, California 94607 (Hereinafter Referred To As "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under any Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States of America, its territorial possessions and in any and all countries foreign thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets over unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and to all Letters Patent or application or similar legal protection, not only in the United States and its territorial possessions, but in all countries foreign thereto to be obtained for said invention by said application, and to any continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in the United States or a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted, including all priority rights under the International Convention; and ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue

said Letters Patent or any legal equivalent thereof to said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, in accordance with this Assignment.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this Agreement;

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents in the United States or in any foreign country, which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

WITNESS my hand at Los Angeles, California,  
this 25<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2005.

YA-HONG XIE



STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ ) ss

On \_\_\_\_\_ before me, \_\_\_\_\_, personally appeared

☐ personally known to me - OR - ☐ proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Notary Public in and for said County and State