Docket No.: QN1174.US 12-09-2005 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FORM PTC-1595 (Modified) (Rev. 03-01) Patent and Trademark Office OMB No. 0651-0027 (exp.5/31/2002) P084/REV03 Tab settings → → To the Director of the United States Patent and Trademan 3133812 attached original documents or copy thereof. Name and address of receiving party(ies): 1. Name of conveying party(ies): David C. Somayajulu Name: QLOGIC CORPORATION Address: 26650 Aliso Viejo Parkway ☐ Yes ☒ No Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) Nature of conveyance: ☐ Merger City: Aliso Viejo ____ State/Prov.: CA ☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name ZIP: 92656 Country: USA Other Execution Date: 11/28/05 ☐ Yes ⊠ No Additional name(s) & address(es) Application number(s) or patent numbers(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: B. Patent No.(s) Patent Application No. Filing date Additional numbers ☐ Yes ☐ No 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: concerning document should be mailed: Name: Tejinder Singh 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):....\$ 40.00 39,535 Registration No. Enclosed - Any excess or insufficiency should be credited or debited to deposit account Address: 2 Park Plaza, Suite 510 Authorized to be charged to deposit account 8. Deposit account number: City: Irvine State/Prov.: CA 11-1159

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