

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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RECEIVING PARTY DATA	
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Property Type	Number
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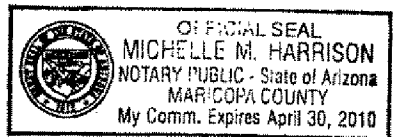
For valuable consideration, FIRST SOLAR, INC. (hereinafter called "the Assignor"), a corporation of Delaware having a place of business at 4050 East Cotton Center Boulevard, Phoenix, Arizona 85040 hereby assign to: FIRST SOLAR US MANUFACTURING, LLC, a corporation of Delaware, having a place of business at 28101 Cedar Park Boulevard, Perrysburg, Ohio 43551, and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of the patents and applications described in Schedule I, and the Assignor authorizes and requests the attorneys appointed in said patents and applications to hereafter execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be executed, acknowledged and delivered, all such other documents and instruments as may be necessary to carry out the intent of this Assignment, including taking all such actions as may be necessary in the applicable domestic and foreign offices and records to fully vest in the Assignee all of the Assignor's right, title, and interest in the subject of the patents and applications described in Schedule I; this assignment including said applications, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and the Assignor authorizes the Assignee to apply in all countries in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventor's certificates for said inventions and improvements; and the Assignor agrees for itself and its successors, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at PHOENIX, ARIZONA
this 29th day of AUGUST, 2006.

Kenneth Schultz
Name: KENNETH SCHULTZ
Title: VICE PRESIDENT

State of ARIZONA :
: ss.
County of MARICOPA :

Before me this 29th day of AUGUST, 2006, personally appeared KENNETH SCHULTZ known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.



[Notary's Seal Here]

Michelle M. Harrison
Notary Public
My Commission Expires: APRIL 30, 2010

ACCEPTANCE OF ASSIGNMENT

We, FIRST SOLAR US MANUFACTURING, LLC, a corporation of the State of Delaware, of 28101 Cedar Park Boulevard, Perrysburg, Ohio 43551, United States of America, hereby confirm acceptance of the terms of the Deed of Assignment dated August 29, 2006, executed by KENNETH SCHULTZ on behalf of First Solar, Inc. and acceptance of assignment of the Patent and Patent Applications listed in Schedule I attached hereto.

Signed for and on behalf of FIRST SOLAR US MANUFACTURING, LLC

this 29 day of August, 2006.

by David Eaglesham, VP Technology
(name) (title)

David Eaglesham
(signature)

Lisa Krueger
(signature)

Lisa Krueger

Print Witness Name

SCHEDULE I

Country	Patent/Application No.
United States	4,873,198
Japan	62-264,056
Korea	104,438
Canada	1,299,715
Mexico	955,046
EPO (UK only)	265,251
Australia	604,509
Israel	99,530