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Patent therefor, the same having been executed by us on even
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WHEREAS, ALTERA CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware and having an office and place of business at 101 Innovation Drive, San Jose, California 95134-1941 is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in said invention, said United States patent application and any Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to each of us paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, each of us does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said ALTERA CORPORATION, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all right, title and interest in and to said invention and any improvements thereon for all countries of the world, and in and to said United States patent application, including any continuations and divisions thereof, and any substitute applications therefor, and any patents which may issue thereon, and any reissues of the same, and including the right to claim priority under the International Convention based on said patent application; and all right, title and interest in and to every patent application filed or to be filed on said invention in any other country, including renewals, revivals, continuations and

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