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ASSIGNMENT

I, **GEORGE R. BRANDES**, have made an invention the specification of which is described in U.S. Patent Application No. 12/325,208 filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on November 30, 2008 entitled:

"LED THERMAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD"

I hereby assign to **Cree, Inc., 4600 Silicon Drive, Durham, NC 27703**, all ownership and rights in:

- (i) the invention and U.S. Patent Application;
- (ii) non-provisional, continuing, divisional and continuation-in-part applications based on and claiming benefit and/or priority of said U.S. Patent Application;
- (iii) U.S. Patents on the invention; and
- (iv) corresponding foreign patent applications and patents.

I am making this assignment based on my employment relationship with **Cree, Inc.**

I respectfully request the Commissioner for Patents of the United States and the appropriate officers of all foreign countries to issue patents on the invention to:

Cree, Inc.

as owner of the invention and aforementioned patent rights.

I agree to execute any other legal documents that may be required to effectuate this Assignment.

I agree that I will promptly communicate to **Cree, Inc.** all facts which come to my attention affecting the invention or patent rights.

I agree that I will testify in any interference or litigation involving the invention or patent rights.

I declare that I have not done anything in conflict with this Assignment.

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George R. Brandes
GEORGE R. BRANDES

12/4/08
Date

State of North Carolina
County of Durham)

Before me personally appeared said George R. Brandes and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed this 4th day of December 20 08

Melissa C. Saunders
Notary Public: Melissa C. Saunders
NAME

My commission expires: 10/31/12

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