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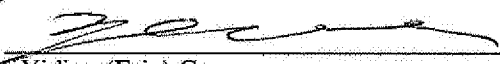
WHEREAS We, Johan STRYDOM, of 3303 Duke Ct., Santa Clara, CA 95051 and Yiding (Eric) GU of 5861 Arthur Drive, Pleasanton, CA 94588, respectively, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled **IMPROVED FEEDBACK CONTROL OF A DC/DC POWER CONVERTER**, and filed concurrently herewith;

AND WHEREAS, Linear Technology Corporation, a corporation of the State of Delaware and having an address of 1630 McCarthy Boulevard, Milpitas, CA 95035-7417 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefore;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt for and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, We do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Linear Technology Corporation, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including the right of priority and including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, We hereby agree with the said assignee that We will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that We will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or chooses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

AND We request the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said Linear Technology Corporation, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

Date	9/16/2009	 Johan Strydom
Date	9/16/2009	 Yiding (Eric) Gu

Signature Witness:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
COUNTY OF Santa Clara ) ss.

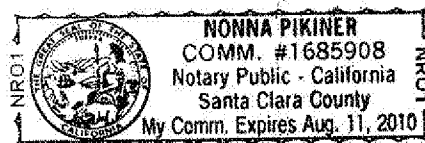
On September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2009 before me, Nonna Pikiner, Notary Public, personally appeared Johan Strydom, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same 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.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Nonna Pikiner  
Notary Public

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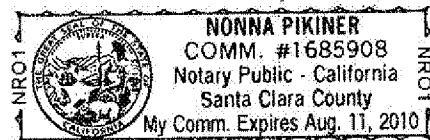
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