

**PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

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WHEREAS, I, the undersigned inventor (or one of the undersigned joint inventors), of residence as listed, having invented certain new and useful improvements as below entitled, for which application for United States Letters Patent is made, the said application having been assigned the application number given below; and

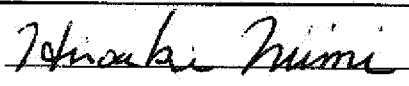
WHEREAS, TEXAS INSTRUMENTS INCORPORATED, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, with a place of business at 7839 Churchill Way, M/S 3999, Dallas, Texas 75251, is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention, in and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon, and any provisional application from which it claims priority;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby sell and assign to the said TEXAS INSTRUMENTS INCORPORATED, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention and in and to the said application and all patents which may be granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part and extensions thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as my interest is concerned, to the said TEXAS INSTRUMENTS INCORPORATED, as assignee of my entire right, title and interest.

I also hereby sell and assign to TEXAS INSTRUMENTS INCORPORATED, its successors and assigns, my foreign rights to the invention disclosed in said application, in all countries of the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents under the terms of the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and further agree to execute any and all patent applications, assignments, affidavits, declarations and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such patent rights.

I hereby further agree that I will communicate to said TEXAS INSTRUMENTS INCORPORATED, or to its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and at the expense of said assignee company, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, reissue and substitute applications, make all lawful oaths and generally do everything requested to aid said TEXAS INSTRUMENTS INCORPORATED, its successors, assigns and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal effective the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 2009.

TITLE OF INVENTION	ENGINEERED OXYGEN PROFILE IN METAL GATE ELECTRODE AND NITRIDED HIGH-K GATE DIELECTRICS STRUCTURE FOR HIGH PERFORMANCE PMOS DEVICES
FIRST INVENTOR SIGNATURE	Hiroaki NIIMI 
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APPLICATION(S)	US 61/092,760 filed August 29, 2008

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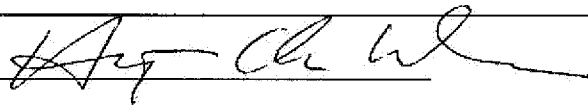
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