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THIS ASSIGNMENT is by Matthew Herset (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"). Assignor is a co-inventor of one or more inventions described in a United States Utility Patent Application entitled **DEPLATING CONTACTS IN AN ELECTROCHEMICAL PLATING APPARATUS** (the "Application"), and which was filed on August 13, 2010 as Application No. 12/856,357 (the "Invention(s)").

Applied Materials, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at 3050 Bowers Ave., Santa Clara, CA 95052-8039 ("Assignee"), desires to acquire Assignor's entire right, title, and interest in and to the Invention(s) and the Application, and in and to any patents (collectively, "Patents") that may be granted for the Invention(s) in the United States or in any foreign countries.


For valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to: the Invention(s), the Application, and any Patents; any divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of the Application; any reissues, reexaminations, or extensions of any and all Patents; the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of Assignee; and the right to claim priority rights deriving from the Application (collectively, the "Rights"). Assignor warrants that he is the sole owner of his Rights, and that his Rights are unencumbered. Assignor also agrees to not sign any writing or do any act conflicting with this assignment and to sign all documents and do such additional acts as Assignee deems necessary or desirable to: perfect Assignee's enjoyment of the Rights; prepare and prosecute the Application or any other applications for

Patents; conduct proceedings regarding the Rights, including any litigation or interference proceedings; or perfect or defend title to the Rights.

Assignor requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Patent of the United States that may be issued on the Invention(s) to Assignee.

ASSIGNOR:

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Matthew Herset

ASSIGNEE:

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