PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Execution Date
EPIC DESIGN TECHNOLOGY, INC.	09/16/1997

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

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CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP

Paul Lippe and Steven K. Shevick certify that:

1. They are Sr. Vice President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of Synopsys, Inc., a Delaware corporation.

2. This corporation owns all the outstanding shares of EPIC Design Technology, Inc., a California corporation.

3. The board of directors of this corporation duly adopted the following resolution:

   RESOLVED, that this corporation merge EPIC Design Technology, Inc., its wholly owned subsidiary corporation, into itself and assume all its obligations pursuant to Section 1110, California Corporations Code.

We further declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the matters set forth in this certificate are true and correct of our own knowledge.

DATE: September 16, 1997

By: _____
Name: Paul Lippe
Title: Sr. Vice President

By: _____
Name: Steven K. Shevick
Title: Assistant Secretary