MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY DELHI
AND
PHILIPS SEMICONDUCTORS, NETHERLANDS
FOR
CREATION OF PHILIPS CHAIR PROFESSOR FOR MICROELECTRONICS

This memorandum of understanding made at this day, the 5th of August 1996 between Philips Semiconductors, Netherlands, 5600 MD Eindhoven, The Netherlands, hereinafter referred to as “Philips” and the Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi having its office at Hauz Khas, New Delhi, hereinafter referred to as “IITD” witnesseth as follows:

1. Objective

The main objective for which the perpetual position of Professor will be created is to promote Research and academic work in the area of Microelectronics and VLSI Design Tools and Technology.

2. Title

The perpetual position of Professor will be designed as Philips Professor and will be henceforth referred to as ‘Professor’ in this memorandum.

3. Grant for the Chair

Philips shall make available an amount of Rs. 20,00,000 (Rupees Twenty lacs only) to the IITD as a one time grant for the sole purpose of partially supporting the position of Professor at IIT Delhi to achieve the objective stated above.

4. Utilization of the Grant:

The amount will be utilized for the purpose of partially meeting the expenditure in relation to the objective stated above.

5. Mode of Selection and Appointment of Professor

A Committee consisting of the following will appointment to the Chair:

a. Director
b. One nominee of the Board of Governors of IITD
c. One nominee of the Philips.
d. One senior faculty from IITD interested in Microelectronics and VLSI Design Tools and Technology to be nominated by the Director.
e. One senior faculty from the concerned Department of the Institute in which the chair is to be located, to be nominated by the Director.
The Philips Professor is expected to fulfil the normal obligations of a Professor in the Department, with research and development efforts oriented towards the objective of the Chair.

The IITD shall take steps to ensure that the Professor to the Philips chair is appointed as early as possible and agrees to intimate action to locate a suitable incumbent within 15 days of the receipt of grant as per procedure outlined in Para (5) above.

6. Tenure

The tenure of the Professor will not exceed five years at the time of appointment and subsequent extensions, each for a further period of up to five years, will be subject to the review of the performance judged as satisfactory by IITD and Philips.

7. Presentations of the work done by the Professor

Once in two years, the Professor should present his work in public, the place being chosen by the IITD and Philips, it can be an International Conference.

8. Annual Report by the IITD

After the end of each Academic year, the Philips Professor placed at IITD will send a copy of the report and the work undertaken by him during the previous year.