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Applicant : APPLIED MATERIALS, INC.  
Title : IMAGING IMPROVEMENT FOR ALIGNMENT  
THROUGH INCOHERENT ILLUMINATION  
BLENDING

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**RESPONSE TO INVITATION TO CORRECT DEFECTS IN THE INTERNATIONAL  
APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Invitation to Correct Defects in the International Application dated 05 July 2018. The Invitation states Figures 2, 4A-4D are not in compliance and new drawings are requested. Applicant submits herewith corrected sheets 2/6 and 3/6 which contain the figures at issue. No new matter has been added in the replacement sheets.

The undersigned believes that there is no correction required and that the application is in condition for publication.

Dated: September 5, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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