WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. An apparatus for supplying a mold resin to multiple semiconductor elements mounted on a substrate; comprising

a lower die that supports the substrate on which the multiple semiconductor elements are mounted;

an upper die with a polymer film to mold the resin for the multiple semiconductor elements on the substrate;

wherein the lower die includes an electrically insulated region for supporting the substrate.

- 2. The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the electrically insulated region includes a ceramic member.
- 3. The apparatus of Claim 2, wherein the ceramic member is a ceramic plate attached to the lower die.
- 4. The apparatus of Claim 3, wherein the ceramic plate is housed in a cavity formed in the lower die.
- 5. The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the electrically insulated region comprises an insulating film disposed on the lower die.
- 6. The apparatus of Claim 5, wherein the insulating film is attached to the surface of the lower die through the medium of an adhesive.
- 7. The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the electrically insulated region is larger than the surface area of the mounted substrate.
- 8. The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the lower die includes a sealing member to enclose the electrically insulated region.
- 9. The apparatus of Claim 8, wherein the lower die includes multiple air intake holes in a region encircled by the sealing member for creating a vacuum state in which resin is molded.
- 10. The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the upper die includes multiple recesses with a suction hole.

- 11. The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the substrate includes a first principal surface on which semiconductor elements are mounted; a second principal surface opposite the first principal surface, and a first conductive region exposed on the first principal surface, and the first conductive region is electrically connected to the semiconductor elements.
- 12. The apparatus of Claim 11, wherein the first conductive region is uncovered from the molded resin.
- 13. The apparatus of Claim 11, wherein the substrate includes a second conductive region on the second principal surface, and the second conductive region is electrically connected to the first conductive region or semiconductor elements.
- 14. The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the substrate is a multilayer circuit board.

15. A method for manufacturing a semiconductor device; comprising:

providing a substrate that includes a first principal surface and a second principal surface opposite the first principal surface;

placing semiconductor elements on the first principal surface;

placing the substrate on an insulating region of a lower die;

pressing an upper die in which multiple shape-forming parts are formed against the lower die through the medium of a polymer film; and

supplying a liquid resin for molding the semiconductor elements.

- 16. The manufacturing method of Claim 15, wherein the lower die includes a ceramic member, and the second principal surface of the substrate is mounted on the ceramic member.
- 17. The manufacturing method described in Claim 15, wherein the lower die includes an insulating film, and the second principal surface of the substrate is mounted on the insulating film.
- 18. The manufacturing method described in Claim 15, wherein the insulating region is larger than the second principal surface of the substrate.
- 19. The manufacturing method described in Claim 15, wherein the polymer film is held by suction in the multiple shape-forming parts by air intake from air intake holes formed in the upper die.
- 20. The manufacturing method described in Claim 15, wherein the substrate includes a first conductive region on the first principal surface, and the first conductive region is electrically connected to semiconductor elements.
- 21. The semiconductor manufacturing device described in Claim 21, wherein the first conductive region is uncovered by the molded resin.
- 22. The manufacturing method described in Claim 15, wherein the substrate includes a second conductive region on the second principal surface, and the second conductive region is electrically connected to the first conductive region or semiconductor elements.

- 23. The manufacturing method described in any one of Claims 15, wherein the substrate is a multilayer circuit board.
- 24. The manufacturing method described in any one of Claims 15, further comprising a step of cutting the substrate into individual semiconductor elements.
- 25. The manufacturing method described in any one of Claims 20, further comprising a step of stacking terminals of a second semiconductor device onto the first conductive region on the first principal surface of the substrate.