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Albert X. WIDMER

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**Assignment**

Whereas, I (we)

INVENTOR (1) **Albert X. WIDMER** of Katonah  
AND CITY County of Westchester and State of New York

INVENTOR (2) of  
AND CITY County of and State of

have invented certain improvements in

TITLE **TRANSFORMATION OF PARALLEL INTERFACE INTO CODED FORMAT  
WITH PRESERVATION OF BAUD-RATE**

DATES THAT INVENTOR(S) and executed, respectively, a United States patent application  
SIGNED THE therefor on (1) , 1998; and (2) , 1998.  
DECLARATION

Whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I (we), the above named, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to IBM, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and foreign countries, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and I (we) request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the inventions set forth in said applications to IBM, its successors and assigns; and we hereby agree that IBM may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and we will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by IBM.

Signed and sealed

CITY AND (1) at  
DATE on 1998, Albert X. Widmer SIGNATURE  
(**Albert X. Widmer**) INVENTOR  
FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL LAST NAME

CITY AND (2) at  
DATE on 1998, \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE  
( ) INVENTOR  
FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL LAST NAME

State of New York ) ss.:  
County of Westchester )

INVENTOR (1) On this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 1998, before me personally came **Albert X. Widmer** to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

EMILY S. FORBES  
Notary Public, State of New York  
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Commission Expires July 25, 1998

State of ) ss.:  
County of )

Emily S. Forbes  
Notary

INVENTOR (2) On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1998, before me personally came \_\_\_\_\_ to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

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Notary

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