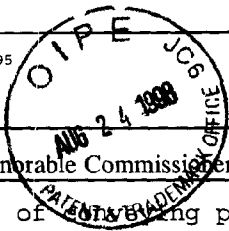


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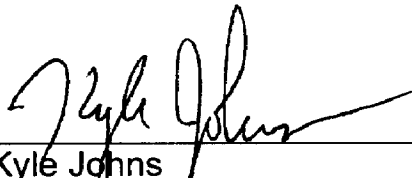
WHEREAS, I, Kyle Johns, (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), having a post office address of 22438 NE 14th Drive, Redmond, Washington, am the inventor of an invention entitled, "METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING A DISPLAY IMAGE IN COMPRESSED AND UNCOMPRESSED BLOCKS ," as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent filed July 17, 1998, Serial No. 09/118,444, and

WHEREAS, MICROSOFT CORPORATION (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of Washington, having a place of business at One Microsoft Way, Redmond, Washington 98052, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

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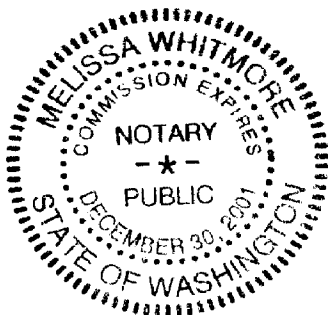


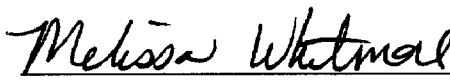
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