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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Quickturn Design Systems, Inc.

Street Address: 400 Clyde Avenue

City: Mountain View

State: California

Zip: 94043

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ASSIGNMENT

For valuable consideration, I, **Keith Westgate**, residing at 87 Burnham Road, Andover, Massachusetts 01810, and being a citizen of the United States of America, (hereinafter "the Assignor"), hereby assign to **Quickturn Design Systems, Inc.**, a Delaware corporation having a principal place of business at 400 Clyde Avenue, Mountain View, California 94043, and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are the subject of an application for a United States Patent filed herewith, entitled

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this assignment including said United States patent and any and all foreign patents granted for said inventions or improvements; and I agree for myself and my heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, preliminary statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

In Witness Whereof, I hereto set my hand and seal at Chelmsford, MA
this 13th day of October, 1998.

Keith A. Westgate

Keith Westgate

Commonwealth of Massachusetts }
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County of Middlesex }

Before me this 13th day of October, 1998, personally appeared Keith Westgate, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

Rosalie A. O'Connell

Notary Public

My commission expires: 11/26/02

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