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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS WE, Frank C. Cheston, III and Patricia V. Hatton of Potomac, Maryland and Laurel, Maryland, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled SYSTEM FOR OBTAINING FORWARDING INFORMATION FOR ELECTRONIC SYSTEM USING SPEECH RECOGNITION, executed by us on the date of execution of this document, as shown below, and filed concurrently herewith;

AND WHEREAS, Bell Atlantic Network Services, Inc., a corporation of the State of Delaware and having an address of 1320 North Court House Road, Arlington, VA 22201 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Bell Atlantic Network Services, Inc., its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including the right of priority and including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, we hereby agree with the said assignee that we will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that we will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

AND we request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said Bell Atlantic Network Services, Inc., its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

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Frank C. Cheston III

Frank C. Cheston, III

Patricia V. Hatton

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STATE OF Maryland)
CITY/COUNTY OF Howard) SS:

On this 27th day of October, 1998, before me personally appeared FRANK C. CHESTON, III, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

S E A L

Sandra M. Butler
Notary Public

My commission expires 1/11/2000

STATE OF Maryland)
CITY/COUNTY OF Howard) SS:

On this 27th day of October, 1998, before me personally appeared PATRICIA v. HATTON, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

S E A L

Sandra M. Butler
Notary Public

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