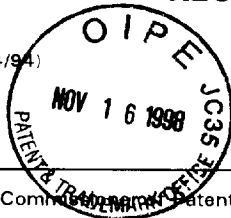


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WE, **JOSEPH LEO NOTHNAGEL**, of Woodstock, County of McHenry and State of Illinois, **MICHAEL DAVIS COAD**, of Oak Park, County of Cook and State of Illinois, **KEVIN JUDE O'CALLAGHAN**, of Algonquin, County of McHenry and State of Illinois, and **CARLOS ALFREDO KIENZLE STERZER**, of St. Charles, County of Kane and State of Illinois for good and valuable consideration, have assigned and do hereby assign to **McWhorter Technologies Inc.**, a Delaware corporation, its principal place of business at 400 East Cottage Place, Carpentersville, Illinois 60110, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire rights, title and interest in and to all subject matter invented by us and disclosed in the application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled

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signed by us on the date indicated, and in and to all Letters Patent, and all Convention and Treaty rights of all kinds, in all countries throughout the world, for all such subject matter. We agree to sign all documents necessary to secure all said Letters Patent and rights, and request issuance of said Letters Patent to the above Assignee in accordance with this Assignment.

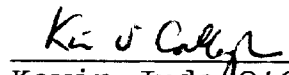
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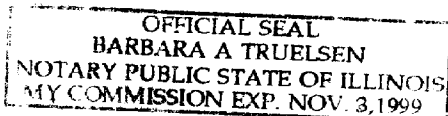
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I hereby certify that before me in the County of Kane, in the State of **Illinois**, personally appeared **JOSEPH LEO NOTHNAGEL**, personally known by me, who then and there was duly sworn by me, and under oath acknowledged that the foregoing Assignment was duly signed by him on the date appearing at the foot thereof.

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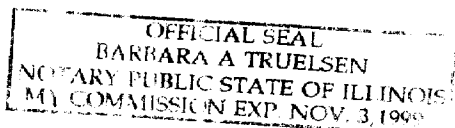
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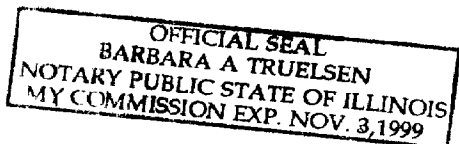
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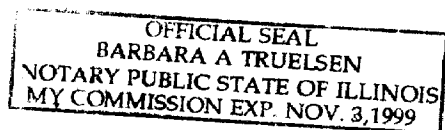


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