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ASSIGNMENT

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In consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the undersigned:

Erik Walter; Richard Wotiz; Garth Conboy; James Sachs

hereby sell, assign, and transfer to:

SoftBook Press, Inc.

a corporation of California, having a principal place of business at 1075 Curtis Street, Menlo Park, California 94025, ("Assignee"), and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire right, title, and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all inventions and improvements that are disclosed in the application for the United States patent that was filed October 16, 1998, and assigned Application No. 09/173,907 and is entitled:

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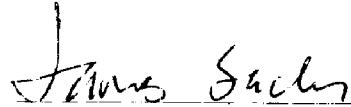
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