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In consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid to each of the undersigned, the undersigned agree(s) to assign, and hereby do(es) assign, transfer and set over to

Name of Assignee DE LA RUE INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

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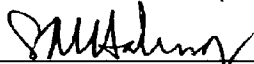
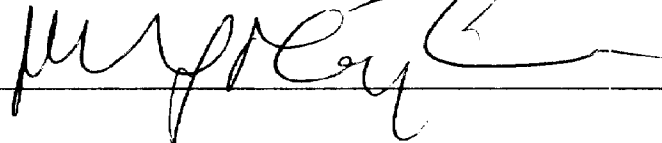
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