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INVENTOR
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Whereas I, Vijay S. Iyengar of Cortlandt Manor,
County of Westchester and State of New York

have invented certain improvements in

TITLE

GENERATING DECISION-TREE CLASSIFIERS WITH OBLIQUE HYPERPLANES

DATE
DECLARATION
SIGNED

and executed a United States patent application therefor on
March 26, 1999;

Whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I, the above named, hereby sell, assign and transfer to IBM, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the said application and the invention therein disclosed for the United States and foreign countries, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and I request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in said application to IBM, its successors and assigns; and I hereby agree that IBM may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and I will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by IBM.

CITY AND
DATE

Signed and sealed at *Yorktown Hgts. N.Y.* on *March 26, 1999.*

Vijay S. Iyengar

(Vijay S. Iyengar) SIGNATURE
FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL LAST NAME INVENTOR

State of *New York*) ss.:
County of *Westchester*)

INVENTOR

On this *26th* day of *March* 1999, before me personally came Vijay S. Iyengar to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

Sandra M. Emma

Notary

SANDRA M. EMMA
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