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Jeane Shu-Chun Chen  
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Machines Corporation  
Address: New Orchard Road  
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Name: Anne Vachon Dougherty  
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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, We,

Jeane Shu-Chun Chen, of 9 Brittany Court, Chappaqua,  
County of Westchester and State of New York, and  
Ephraim Feig, of 9 Brittany Court, Chappaqua,  
County of Westchester and State of New York

have invented certain improvements in

TITLE: VARIABLE RATE STREAMING MEDIA PLAYER

and executed, respectively, a United States patent application  
therefor on 4/14 1999, and 4/14 1999.

and 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 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 inventions 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.

(1)  SIGNATURE

Jeane Shu-Chun Chen

Signed and sealed Hawthorne, NY on April 14, 1999  
City DateState of New York )ss.:County of Westchester )On this 14 day of April 1999, before me

personally came Jeane Shu-Chun Chen to me personally known, and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and she acknowledged to me that she executed the same as her free act and deed.

Mae K. Lemke  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01LE6003456  
County of Westchester  
Commission Expires March 02 2000



Notary

(2)  SIGNATURE

Ephraim Feig

Signed and sealed Hawthorne, NY on April 14<sup>th</sup>, 1999  
City DateState of New York )ss.:County of WestchesterOn this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April 1999, before me

personally came Ephraim Feig 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.



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