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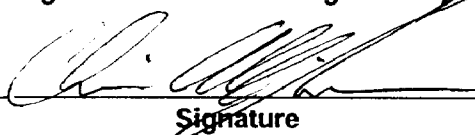
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# RELEASE OF SECURITY AGREEMENT

THIS RELEASE is executed as of April 22, 1999 by Stac Software, Inc. ("Stac"), a Delaware corporation, under that certain Security Agreement (the "Agreement"), dated as of September 28, 1998 along with hi/fn, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Hi/fn").

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Agreement was recorded by the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 9693, Frame 0052 there in on January 4, 1999 with respect to the Patent Rights; and

WHEREAS, Hi/fn has satisfied its obligations under the Agreement and has requested that Stac release its security interest in Patent Rights;

WHEREAS, Hi/fn is the owner of the following patents (collectively, the "Patent Rights")

Patent Number: 5016009

Patent Number: 5003307

Patent Number: 4701745

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Agreement Hi/fn granted a security interest to Stac in certain assets, including the Patent Rights;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged;

Stac hereby releases, without any representation, recourse or undertaking by Stac, its security interest in and collateral assignment of the Patent Rights.



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Stac has caused this Release to be duly executed by its duly authorized officer as of the day and year first above written.

Stac Software, Inc.,

By: Cliff Flowers

Its: VP Finance

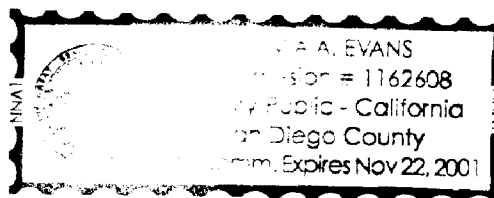
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On this 9<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1999 before me personally appeared  
CLIFF FLOWERS known to me to be the individual who executed the foregoing  
instrument and acknowledged to me that he/~~she~~ executed the same as the duly authorized officer above  
designated of Stac, Inc.

Sylvia G. Evans  
Notary Public

San Diego County, California

My commission expires: Nov. 22, 2001



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