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Assignee: LSI LOGIC CORPORATION  
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CONFIGURATION CHANGES TO MANAGED DEVICES PRIOR TO  
COMPLETION OF THE CONFIGURATION CHANGE  
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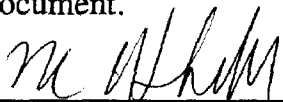
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## ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, we, **Rodney A. DeKoning** of Augusta, GA; **Ray M. Jantz** of Wichita, KS; and **William V. Courtright, II**, of Pittsburgh, PA, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a **METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR COMMITTING CONFIGURATION CHANGES TO MANAGED DEVICES PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF THE CONFIGURATION CHANGE**, Docket No. 98-110, for which we have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on 6-3-99, 6-3-99 and \_\_\_\_\_, respectively; and

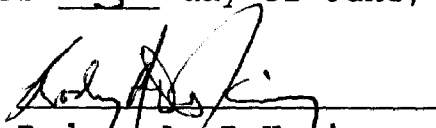
WHEREAS, LSI Logic Corporation, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business in Milpitas, California, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said LSI Logic Corporation, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and improvements in any form or embodiment thereof, disclosed and claimed in said application, or which are disclosed and may be claimed; also the entire right, title and interest in and to any Letters Patent to be granted in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries upon said invention in any form or upon any such improvements thereon, and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent on said application to the said LSI Logic Corporation, of Delaware, its successors and assigns.

Further, we agree that we will communicate to said LSI Logic Corporation, or its representatives, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding,

sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, substitution, renewal and reissue applications, execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of said Letters Patent to be issued to said LSI Logic Corporation, make all rightful oaths and generally to do everything possible to aid said LSI Logic Corporation, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce protection for said invention in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

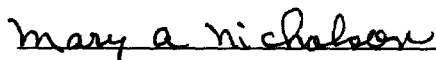
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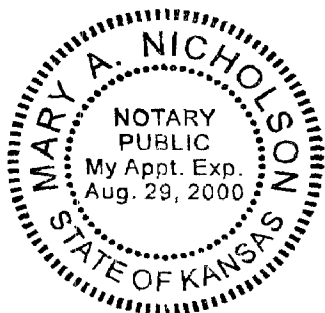
  
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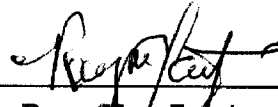
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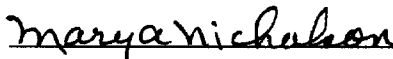
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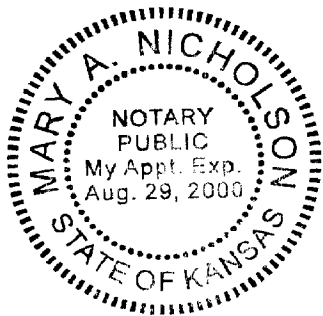
  
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Signed at Wichita, Kansas, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of June, 1999.

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**Rodney A. DeKoning**

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Signed at Pittsburgh PA, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June,  
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William V. Courtright, II  
William V. Courtright, II

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA )  
COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY ) ss:

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