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(2) James Irwin Knutson  
County of Travisof Austin,  
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(3) Karalee Brown LeBlanc  
County of Travisof Austin,  
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have invented certain improvements in

PROCESS AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING NAME SERVICE SCOPING BEHAVIORand executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefore on  
(Dates Inventors Signed Declaration)(1) August 11 1999 and (2) \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_ and (3) \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

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 therefrom;

Now therefore, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we, 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 we 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 we hereby agree that IBM may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and we will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by IBM.

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(1) Liane Elizabeth Haynes Acker of Round Rock,  
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