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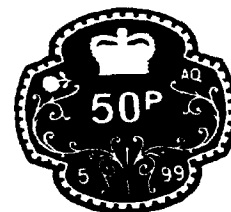
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THIS DEED is made the *Twenty-fourth* day
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BETWEEN BTG INTERNATIONAL LIMITED whose company registration number
in England is 2664412 and whose registered office is at 10 Fleet Place,
Limeburner Lane, London, EC4M 7SB (hereinafter called "BTG") of the first
part UNIVERSITY OF BATH of Claverton Down, Bath, BA2 7AY (hereinafter
called "the Institution") of the second part and DONALD MARTIN MONRO of 6
The Leys, Goose Street, Beckington, Somerset, BA3 6SS (hereinafter called
"the Inventor") of the third part

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(A) BTG is in possession of an International application for a
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(B) BTG has agreed that the invention and the said application
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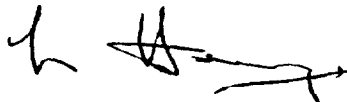
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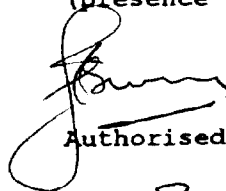


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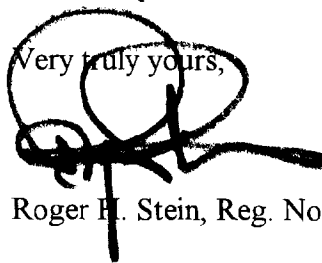
Re: Assignment of U.S. Patent Application for
"Progressive Block-Based Coding For Image Compression"
Application No. 09/375,459 -- Filed August 17, 1999
Our File: 3838 P 003

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for recording is an original Assignment transferring all right, title and interest in the above-identified U.S. Patent Application No. 09/375,459 filed August 17, 1999 for "Progressive Block-Based Coding For Image Compression" from Donald Martin Monro to University of Bath.

Enclosed is our check No. 1220 in the amount of \$40 to cover the government recording fee. Any additional amounts may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 23-0280.

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Roger H. Stein, Reg. No. 31,882

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