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In consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Steven Lyle Gardner, residing at 7 Elbridge Street, Worcester, Massachusetts 01609, James Scott Hiscock, residing at 11 Penzance Road, Rockport, Massachusetts 01966, and Michael Yuen, residing at 30 Bancroft Street, Waltham, Massachusetts 02451, hereby sell and assign to 3COM CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation having a principal place of business at 5400 Bayfront Plaza, Santa Clara, California 95052-8145, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, including the right to claim priority under the International Convention, throughout the United States, its territories and all foreign countries in and to our invention in

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and the United States Letters Patent therefor filed on September 21, 1999 Application No. 09/400,424, and any such patents as may issue thereon, and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof.

And we hereby covenant that we have full right to make such assignment, and agree for ourselves and our executors and administrators that we will, at the expense of said 3COM CORPORATION, execute all applications for patents in foreign countries, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and re-examination applications, make all rightful oaths, sign all lawful papers, testify in any proceeding in which said invention or any application or patent directed thereto may be involved, and generally do everything possible to aid said , its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in the United States, its territories and all foreign countries.

We, the Inventors, signing below, hereby authorize and request our attorneys to insert above the filing date and application serial number when they become known.

And we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue all Letters Patent on said invention or resulting therefrom to 3COM CORPORATION, its successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals.

Steven Lyle Gardner
Steven Lyle Gardner

Date: Sept 23, 1999

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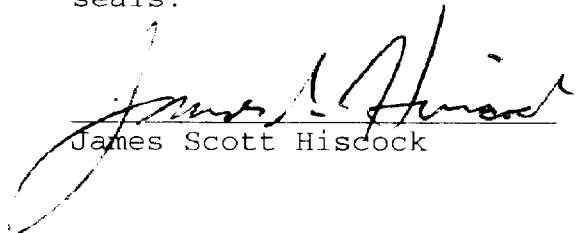
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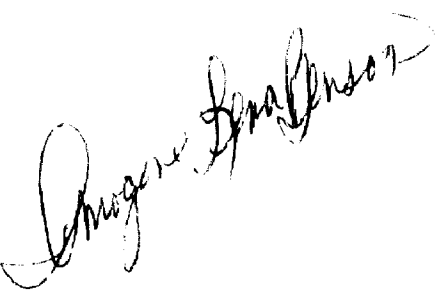
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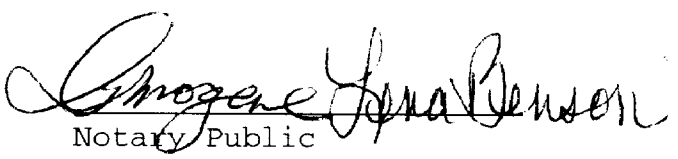

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