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## PATENT APPLICATION

## ASSIGNMENT OF U.S. PATENT APPLICATION

This is an assignment of patent rights between the inventor(s) Michael Lightstone, Stefan Eckart, Richard Webb, Haitao Guo, Xiaohua Yang, and Fabio Ingrao (herein after referred to as the Inventor) and ATI International, SRL having a place of business at Beaumont House, Hastings Christ Church, Barbados, West Indies (herein after referred to as the Assignee).

WHEREAS, Inventor has caused to be prepared a United States Patent Application in the Inventor's name entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STORING MULTI-MEDIA DATA having a docket number of 0100.0000400 (herein after referred to as the Patented Invention); and

WHEREAS, Assignee has a desire to acquire all rights, title, and interest in the Patented Invention.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

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- 1. The Inventor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers its entire rights, title, and interest in the Patented Invention and all patents that may be granted therefrom due to divisions, reissue, substitutions, extensions, continuations, and continuations-in-part to the Assignee.
- 2. The Inventor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers its entire rights, title, and interest in any foreign (non U.S.) national patent application, invention registration, or equivalent (Foreign Applications), claiming approximately the same subject matter of the Patented Invention to the Assignee.
- 3. The transfer set forth in Paragraph (2.) is in consideration for the sum of one dollar (\$1) U.S. (or its equivalent) and/or other consideration for which both parties acknowledge to be valuable, having been conveyed to the Inventor by the Assignee. Consideration may include at least one of: employment, an independent contractor agreement, monetary payment, or other benefit hereby acknowledged as received.
- 4. Inventor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue the patent for the Patented Invention, and all resulting patents therefrom, insofar as Inventor's interest is concerned, to the Assignee.
- 5. The Inventor further agrees to execute any and all powers of attorney, applications, assignments, declarations, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such rights, title, and interest in the Assignee.

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The Inventor hereby further agrees to communicate with the Assignee any facts 6. its knows regarding any improvements of the Patented Invention while employed by Assignee and for one year thereafter. The Inventor hereby yet further agrees to, with respect to the referenced patent 7. application, at the expense of the Assignee: testify in any legal proceedings, i) sign all lawful papers, ii) execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and iii) substitute applications, make all lawful oaths, and assist in vesting title in the Assignee iv) and to aid the Assignee to obtain and enforce proper protection for the subject matter of the Patented Invention in all countries, and notify Assignee promptly (by facsimile or first class mail) of any <u>v)</u> subpoena or contact by any person other than Assignee or its agents regarding the Application or resultant patent(s) issuing therefrom, and in any event at least one week prior to any deposition, legal inquiry or legal proceeding relating to the above identified invention. This assignment is executed on the date(s) of which the Inventor has signed. Inventor: 2/24/00 Date: Michael Lightstone State/Province of \_\_\_\_\_\_) SS: County of \_\_\_\_\_ Before me personally appeared said acknowledge the foregoing instrument to be his/her free act and deed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_ Seal (Notary) 2/24/00 Date:

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