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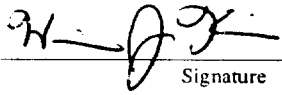
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Darryl E. Rubin, Andrew C. Baird, John L. Beezer, Jonathan C. Cluts and Susan D. Woolf (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), having post office addresses of P.O. Box 907, Redmond, Washington 98073, 11432 NE 81st Avenue, Kirkland, Washington 98073, 17525 NE 40th Place NE, Redmond, Washington 98052, 5309 188th Place NE, Redmond, Washington 98052, and 314 NW 60th, Seattle, Washington 98107, respectively, are the joint inventors of an invention entitled **“Computer User Interface Architecture That Saves A User’s Non-Linear Navigation History And Intelligently Maintains That History,”** as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent as filed on December 7, 1999, and assigned Serial No. 09/456,975;

WHEREAS, Microsoft Corporation (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of Washington having a place of business at One Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations, and continuation-in-part thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commission of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letter patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letter patent therefor.

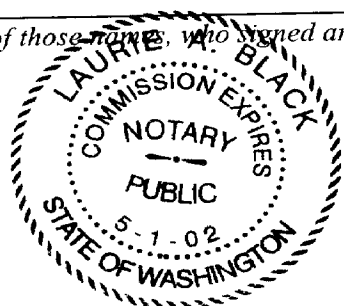
Date 2/23/00 Inventor: Darryl E. Rubin
Darryl E. Rubin

STATE OF WA)
COUNTY OF King) ss

On this 23rd day of February, 2000, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Darryl E. Rubin

to me known and known to me to be the persons of those named, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be their free act and deed.

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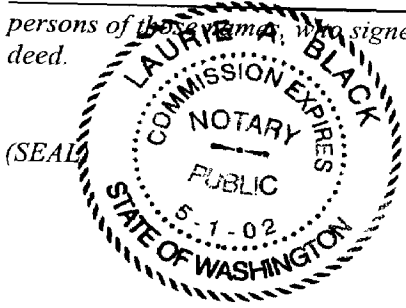
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Date 2.17.2000 Inventor: [Signature]
Andrew C. Baird

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On this 17th day of February, ~~1999~~ 2000, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Andrew C Baird

persons of those names, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be their free act and deed.



Laurie A Black
Notary Public

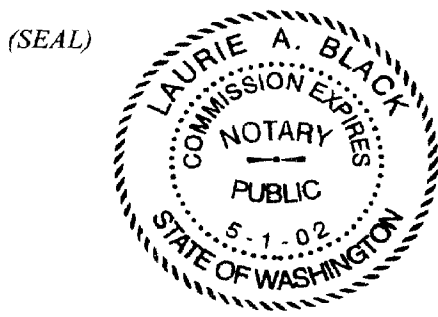
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John L. Beezer

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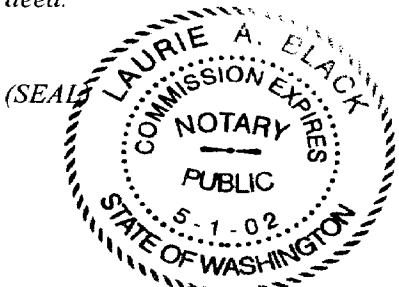
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Date 2-17-2000 Inventor: *Jonathan C Cluts*
Jonathan C. Cluts

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On this 17 day of February, ~~1999~~ ²⁰⁰⁰, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Jonathan C Cluts to me known and known to me to be the persons of those names, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be their free act and deed.



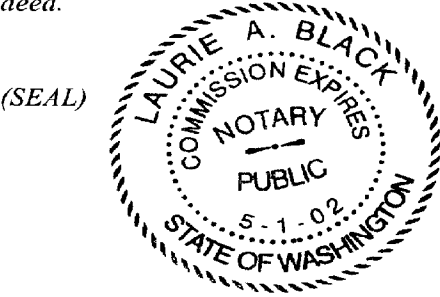
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Date 17 February 2000 Inventor: *Susan D. Woolf*
Susan D. Woolf

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On this 17 day of February, 1999, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Susan D. Woolf to me known and known to me to be the persons of those names, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be their free act and deed.



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