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## ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

OPRIFICANCE
To the Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents: Please record the attached copy of an assignment document:

- 1. Name of conveying parties: Stephen Ciavaglia, Arthur L. Zaifman, and Edward C. Szajner, Jr., Edward Spang.
- 2. Name and address of receiving party: Xylan Corporation, 26707 W. Agoura Road, CA 91302
- 3. Nature of conveyance: Assignment
- 4. Patent application number: 09/178,007
- 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Scot A. Reader, Esq. Alcatel Internetworking, Inc. 26801 W. Agoura Rd. Calabasas, CA 91301

- 6. Number of applications involved: 1
- 7. Total Fee: \$40.00 (enclosed)

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and the attached copy is a true copy of the original document. The total number of pages including this cover sheet and attached assignment is 4.

5/15/00 Dated: \_\_\_\_

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Arthur L. Zaifman, Stephen Ciavaglia, Edward C. Szajner, Jr.,

and Edward Spang, citizens of the United States residing at the address specified below

("the Inventors"), have invented new and useful "PER MEMORY" ATOMIC ACCESS

FOR DISTRIBUTED MEMORY MULTIPROCESSOR ARCHITECTURE ("the

Invention") for which application for United States Letters Patent have been filed and

been assigned serial number 09/178,007

WHEREAS, Xylan Corporation ("the Company"), a California corporation

having its principal place of business at 26707 W. Agoura Road, Calabasas, California is

desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in and to the Invention and in

and to the Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefor in the United States and its

territories and possessions and all countries foreign thereto; and

WHEREAS, we, the Inventors, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of

which is acknowledged, have covenanted to hold in trust and assign to the Company all

right, title and interest in and to the Invention;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Inventors, do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set

over unto the Company, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and

interest in and to the Invention, and in and to any and all Letters Patent to be granted and

issued therefor, not only for, to and in the United States, its territories and possessions.

but for, to and in any and all other countries, including all priority rights under

international conventions; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of

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Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to the Company, its successors and assigns, in accordance with this assignment.

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