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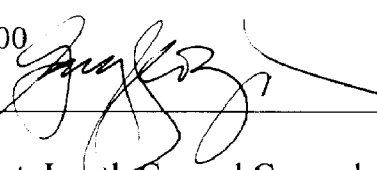
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ARDENT SOFTWARE, INC. and INFORMIX SOFTWARE, INC. (a Delaware corporation having a place of business at 4100 Bohannon Drive, Menlo Park, California, 94025) hereby rescind the Assignment, executed and filed with the Patent and Trademark Office on March 28, 2000, for the following United States Patent Nos.: 5,727,158, issued March 10, 1998; and 5,995,980, issued November 30, 1999.

Hereby consented and agreed to this 29th day of June, 2000.


  
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Gary Lloyd  
Vice President, Legal, General Counsel  
and Secretary of Ardent Software, Inc.

State of California

: ss.

County of San Mateo

On June 29, 2000, before me, Heidi Marie Binns, Notary Public, personally appeared Gary Lloyd, personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Rescission and acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

  
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