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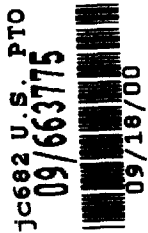


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**ASSIGNMENT**

Whereas We, Darren Kerr, whose residence address is 853 Forest Ave., Palo Alto, CA 94301, Jeffery B. Scott, whose residence address is 901 Limerick Lane, Durham, NC 27713, , John William Marshall, whose residence address is 212 Preston Pines Drive, Cary, North Carolina 27513, Kenneth H. Potter, whose residence address is 5404 Amsterdam Place, Wake County, Raleigh, NC 27606, and Scott Nellenbach, whose residence address is 208 Burgwin Wright Way, Apex, North Carolina 27502, have made certain inventions or discoveries (or both) set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America entitled SEQUENCE CONTROL MECHANISM FOR ENABLING OUT OF ORDER CONTEXT PROCESSING, identified by Cesari and McKenna File No. 112025-0196, which application was executed by us on 7/24/00; and

Whereas Cisco Technology, Inc., whose address is 170 West Tasman Drive, Building D, San Jose, CA 95134-1706, and which, together with its successors and assigns, is hereinafter called "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits, and privileges hereinafter recited;

Now, Therefore, for valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to us, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby, without reservation:

1. Assign, transfer, and convey to Assignee our entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions and discoveries, said application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions and discoveries in whatsoever countries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation, continuation-in-part, and Convention applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or discoveries, or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patent, reissues, reexaminations, and extensions of Letters Patent granted for said inventions and discoveries or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said discoveries, said applications, and said Letters Patent;
2. Authorize Assignee to file patent applications in any or all countries on any or all of said inventions and discoveries in our names or in the name of Assignee or otherwise as Assignee may deem advisable, under the International Convention or otherwise;
3. Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein or otherwise as Assignee may direct;
4. Warrant that we have not knowingly conveyed to others any right in said inventions, discoveries, applications, or patents or any license to use the same or to make, use, or sell anything embodying or utilizing any of said inventions or discoveries; and that we have good right to assign the same Assignee without encumbrance;
5. Bind our heirs, legal representatives and assigns, as well as ourselves, to do, upon Assignee's request and at Assignee's expense, but without additional consideration to us or them, all acts reasonably serving to assure that the said inventions and discoveries, the said patent applications, and the said Letters Patent shall be held and



7/24/00  
Date

Jeffery B. Scott  
Jeffery B. Scott, Inventor

State of North Carolina )  
  )ss.  
County of Wake )

On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2000, before me appeared Jeffery B. Scott, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

[Signature]  
Notary Public

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7/24/00  
Date

John William Marshall  
John William Marshall, Inventor

State of North Carolina )  
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County of Wake )

On this 24 day of July, 2000, before me appeared John William Marshall, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

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Kenneth H. Potter  
Kenneth H. Potter, Inventor

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On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2000, before me appeared Kenneth H. Potter, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

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Scott Nellenbach, Inventor

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On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2000, before me appeared Scott Nellenbach, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

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