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WHEREAS, Jan-Dieter Spalink, Brian R. D. Gullette, Andrew Hatchell, Randall C. Nortman, Kevin Babyak and Michael Babyak, (referred to as "ASSIGNOR") have invented certain new and useful improvements in an invention entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CLASSIFYING INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON A COMPUTER NETWORK,

- for which a utility application for a United States Patent was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 30, 2000, Serial Number 09/606,683.
- for which an application for a United States Patent is being submitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office herewith; and

WHEREAS, Foveon Corporation, having an office at 1000 Perimeter Park Drive, Suite A, Morrisville, NC 27560 (hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in and to said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

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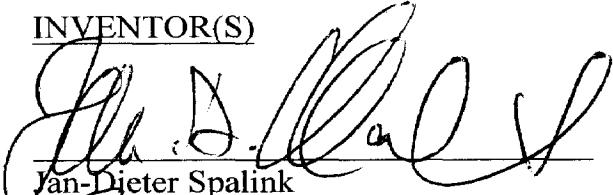
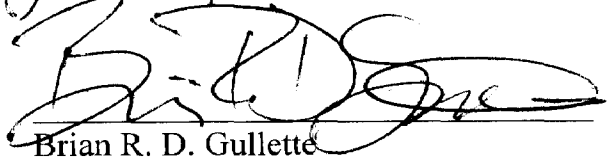
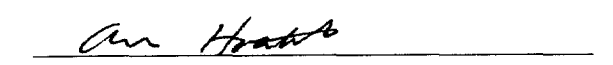
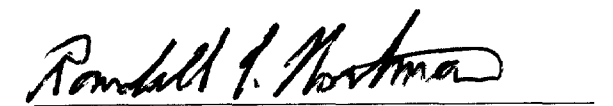
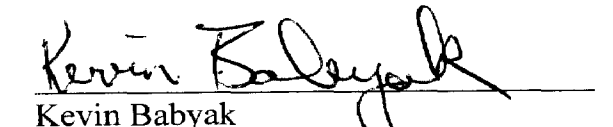
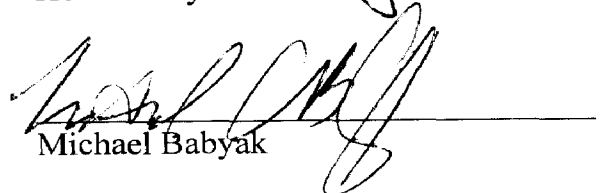
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/We have hereunto set hand and signed on the date indicated below:

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