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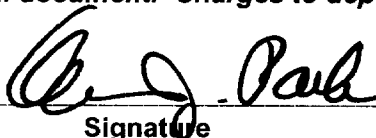
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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, we, Yannis Bakos, a citizen of The United States of America and residing at 110 Bleecker Street, #30C, New York, New York 10012; and Erik Brynjolfsson, a citizen of The United States of America and residing at 50 Memorial Drive, E53-313, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02142, are the inventors of certain new and useful inventions and discoveries, for which an application has been made for a United States Patent Application entitled **“DIRECTORY READ INHIBITOR FOR OPTICAL STORAGE MEDIA”** also identified as Attorney Docket Number 109960.124(flp-005), the specification of which was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 29, 2000, and assigned Serial Number 09/608328;

WHEREAS, **FlexPlay Technologies, Inc.**, which, together with its successors and assigns is hereinafter called “ASSIGNEE,” is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits, and privileges hereinafter recited;

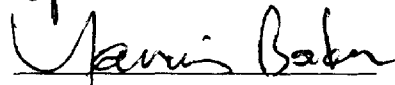
NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of our employment by ASSIGNEE and other valuable consideration furnished by ASSIGNEE to us, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby, without reservations:

1. Assign, transfer, and convey to ASSIGNEE the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions and discoveries, said United States Patent Application, any and all other applications for Letters Patent(s) on said inventions and discoveries in whatsoever countries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination and convention applications based in whole, or in part, upon said inventions or discoveries, or upon said United States Patent Application, and any and all Letters Patent(s), reissues, and extensions of Letters Patent(s) 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(s);
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 International Conventions or otherwise;
3. The undersigned hereby authorizes and requests the attorneys of record in said application to insert in this assignment the filing date and serial number of said application when officially known;
4. Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments throughout the world to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent(s) to ASSIGNEE, as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein or otherwise as ASSIGNEE may direct;
5. 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,

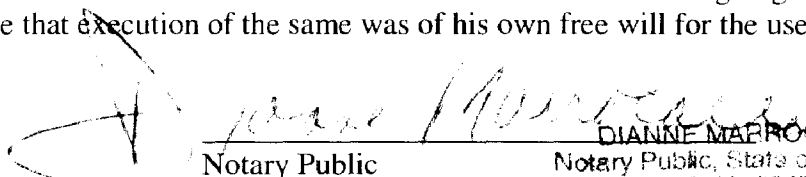
or sell anything embodying or utilizing any of said inventions or discoveries; and that we have good right to assign the same to ASSIGNEE without encumbrance;

6. 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 either ourselves or them, all acts reasonably serving to assure that said inventions and discoveries, said patent applications, and said Letters Patent(s) shall be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by us, our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns if this Assignment had not been made; and particularly to execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE all lawful application documents including petitions, specifications, and oaths, and all assignments, disclaimers, and lawful affidavits in form and substance as may be requested by ASSIGNEE; and to communicate to ASSIGNEE all facts known to us relating to said inventions and discoveries or the history thereof, and to testify as to the same in any court or proceeding; and to furnish ASSIGNEE any and all documents, photographs, models, samples, and other physical exhibits in our control or in the control of our heirs, legal representatives, or assigns which may be useful for establishing the facts of our conceptions, disclosures, and reduction to practice of said inventions and discoveries.

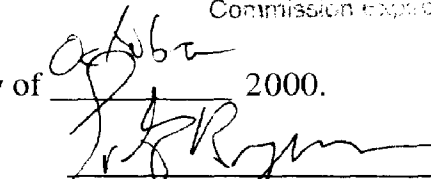
WITNESS my hand and seal this 14 day of September 2000.

  
Yannis Bakos

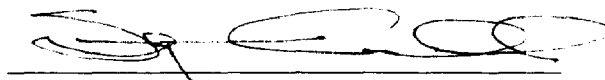
On this 14 day of Sept, 2000, before me personally came the above-named **Yannis Bakos** to me personally known and known to me to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that execution of the same was of his own free will for the use and purposes therein set forth.

  
Notary Public  
My commission expires:                       
DIANNE MARROSCILLO  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01MA5037603  
Qualified in County of New York  
Commission Expires 12/31/2002

WITNESS my hand and seal this 18 day of October 2000.

  
Erik Brynjolfsson

On this 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2000, before me personally came the above-named **Erik Brynjolfsson** to me personally known and known to me to be the same individual who executed the foregoing assignment, and who acknowledged to me that execution of the same was of his own free will for the use and purposes therein set forth.

  
Notary Public  
My commission expires: 4.5.07

