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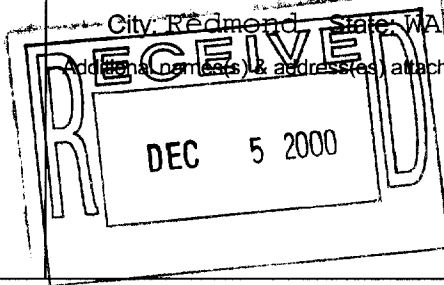
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1 **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

2 Serial Number.....09/599,813
3 Filing Date6/21/00
4 Inventorship..... Ardeleanu et al.
Applicant Microsoft Corporation
Attorney's Docket No. MS1-583US
5 Title: Authoring Arbitrary XML Documents using DHTML and XSLT

6 **PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

7 **PARTIES TO THE ASSIGNMENT**

8 Assignor(s):

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21 Assignee:

22 Microsoft Corporation
23 Corporation in the State of Washington

3 **AGREEMENT**

4 WHEREAS, ASSIGNOR(S) (listed above) are inventor(s) of an invention
5 entitled "Authoring Arbitrary XML Documents using DHTML and XSLT," as
6 described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for
7 United States letters patent referenced above;

8 WHEREAS, Microsoft Corporation (hereinafter referred to as
9 ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of Washington having a place of business
10 at One Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052, is desirous of acquiring the entire
11 right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that
12 may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

13 NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the
14 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby sell, assign and
15 transfer unto ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said
16 invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for
17 said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in
18 any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and
19 continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the
20 name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States
21 application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international
22 convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on
23 said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and
24 assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and
25 entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR(S) had this
assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR(S) hereby authorize

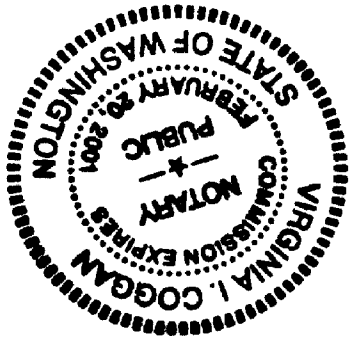
1 and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent
2 on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR(S) agree to execute all instruments
3 and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United
4 States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said
5 letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters
6 patent therefor.

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8 9/26/2000 Adriana Ardeleanu
Date Adriana Ardeleanu

9 State of Washington)
10) ss.
11 County of King)

12 I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Adriana Ardeleanu is the
13 person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he or she signed
14 this instrument and acknowledged it to be his or her free and voluntary act for the
15 uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.



14 Dated 9/26/2000
15 Signature of Virginia I. Coggan
16 Notary Public
17 My appointment expires 2/29/2001

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2 Sept 26, 2000

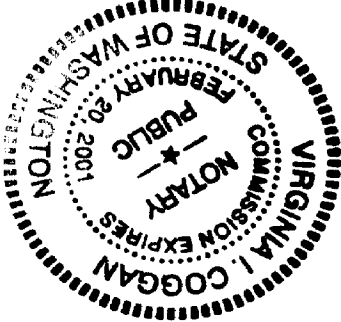
Jean D. Paoli

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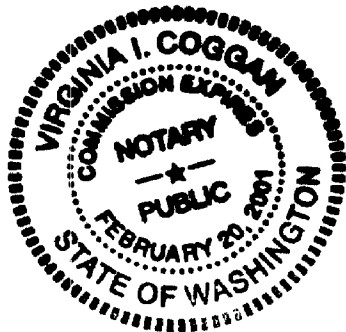
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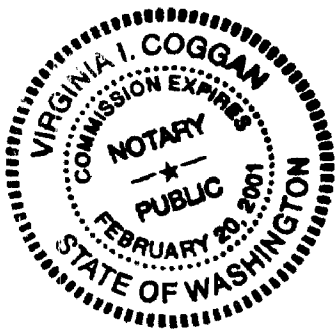
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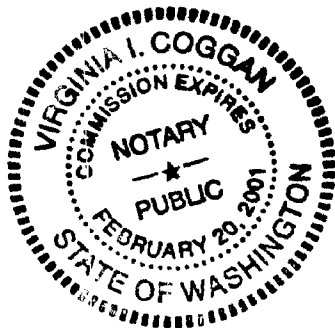
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