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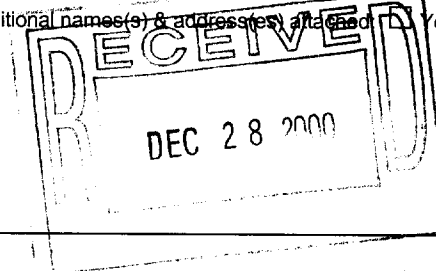
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1 **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

2 Serial Number.....09/606,660
3 Filing Date6/28/00
4 Inventorship Lee et al.
Applicant Microsoft Corporation
5 Attorney's Docket No. MSI-451US
Title: Language Input Architecture For Converting One Text Form to Another Text
6 Form With Tolerance To Spelling, Typographical, And Conversion Errors

7 **PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

8 **PARTIES TO THE ASSIGNMENT**

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17 Assignee:

18 Microsoft Corporation
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20 **AGREEMENT**

21 WHEREAS, ASSIGNOR(S) (listed above) are inventor(s) of an invention
22 entitled "Language Input Architecture For Converting One Text Form to Another
23 Text Form With Tolerance To Spelling, Typographical, And Conversion Errors,"
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1 as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for
2 United States letters patent referenced above;

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

8 NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the
9 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby sell, assign and
10 transfer unto ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said
11 invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for
12 said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in
13 any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and
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17 convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on
18 said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and
19 assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and
20 entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR(S) had this
21 assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR(S) hereby authorize
22 and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent
23 on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR(S) agree to execute all instruments
24 and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United
25 States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said

1 letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters
2 patent therefor.

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4 11-3-00

5 Date

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