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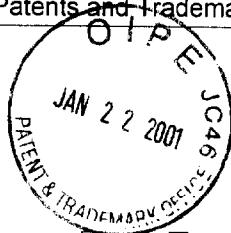
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the undersigned, to wit: ANTHONY J. BAERLOCHER and BAYARD S. WEBB (hereinafter "ASSIGNORS"), are the lawful owners of an invention known as Docket No. 0112300-471 and entitled: GAMING DEVICE HAVING RISK EVALUATION BONUS ROUND, for which a Patent Application of the United States was filed on October 16, 2000 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office having Application Serial No. 09/688,434;

AND WHEREAS, IGT (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Nevada and having its principal office and place of business at 9295 Prototype Drive, Reno, Nevada, 89511, USA desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, said ASSIGNORS do hereby sell, assign, and transfer, and hereby agree to assign, unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States of America and all foreign countries, including, without limitation, said invention as described in the aforesaid application, to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment and sale not been made, including, without limitation, all rights to the aforesaid application and any other United States or foreign applications for said invention, all Letters Patent issuing therefrom, together with all improvements and betterments of said invention and all applications, provisional applications, continued prosecution applications, requests for continuing examination, continuations-in-part applications, divisional applications, reissues, extensions and substitutes of or claiming the benefit of the aforesaid application, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States of America adheres, and ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue all Letters Patent issuing therefrom to ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

ASSIGNORS hereby agree to execute any papers, provide any information and testify in any interference or litigation at the request of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, when deemed essential to ASSIGNEE's, its successors', assigns' and legal representatives' full enjoyment, protection, enforcement and title in and to the invention and rights hereby transferred.

ASSIGNORS furthermore agree upon request of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, for the filing and granting of foreign applications and the perfecting of title thereto in said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

Signature

Date Signed

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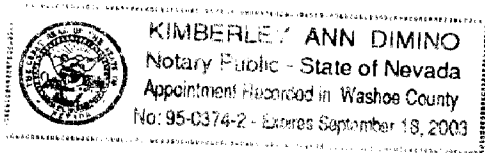
On this 3 day of Jan, 2001, before me, a notary public, in and for the aforementioned state and county, personally appeared the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and executed the foregoing instrument in my presence for the purpose contained therein, by signing his name hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and official seal.

Date: 01-03-01

Kimberley Ann Dimino
Notary Public

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Signature

Date Signed

Bayard S. Webb
Name: Bayard S. Webb

12/13/2000

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On this 13 day of December, 2000, before me, a notary public, in and for the aforementioned state and county, personally appeared the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and executed the foregoing instrument in my presence for the purpose contained therein, by signing his name hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and official seal.

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