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NUNC PRO TUNC PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, KENNETH W. HAMMER (hereafter "Assignor"), an individual and citizen of the United States of America, having an address of 617 Chancellar Drive, Lutz, Florida 33549, has invented certain new and useful improvements as described and claimed in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/044,766, filed March 19, 1998 and entitled Data Messaging in a Communications Network Using a Feature Request (such invention and application collectively referred to as the "Patent Property"); and

WHEREAS, GTE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC. (hereafter "Assignee"), having an address of 201 North Franklin Street, P.O. Box 2924, Tampa, Florida 33601-2924, pursuant to an employment agreement with Assignor, acquired all right, title and interest in and to the Patent Property effective November 29, 1995.

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over nunc pro tunc to Assignee, all his right, title and interest in and to the Patent Property, as well as all provisionals, continuations, divisions, and continuations-in-part of said Patent Property, and all reissues and extensions thereof, the same to be held and

enjoyed by Assignee for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns, or legal representatives, to the end of the term or terms for which such Patent Property may be granted or reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor if this assignment and sale had not been made.

Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over nunc pro tunc to Assignee, all right, title and interest in and to the invention disclosed in said Patent Property throughout the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents, utility models, industrial models and designs for said Patent Property in its own name throughout the world, including all rights to publish cautionary notices reserving ownership of said inventions and all rights to register said Patent Property in appropriate registries; and all rights to sue and recover for damages by reason of past infringement of such Patent Property; and Assignor further agrees to execute any and all powers of attorney, applications, assignments, declarations, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such right, title and interest in Assignee.

Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over nunc pro tunc to Assignee all claims for damages by reason of

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infringement throughout the world, with the right to sue for and collect the same for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns and other legal representatives.

Assignor also will communicate to Assignee any facts known to it respecting any improvements; and, at the expense of Assignee, will testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all provisional, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and substitute applications, make lawful oaths and declarations, and generally do everything possible to vest title in Assignee and to aid Assignee to obtain and enforce proper protection for said Patent Property in all countries.

This Nunc Pro Tunc Patent Assignment shall be binding on the parties' successors, assigns, and legal representatives.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Nunc Pro Tunc Patent Assignment to be executed on the dates and in the capacities shown below.

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GTE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, IMC.

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Date: 8-14-00

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public on this day personally appeared KENNETH W. HAMMER, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he had executed the same for the purpose and consideration therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 14th day of _____, 2000.

ROSITTA MARIA TOLBERT My Comm Exp. 6/22/04 No. CC 947752 [] Personally Known [] Other I.D.

Notary Public in and for the State of Florida

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STATE OF FLORIDA

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Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public on this day personally appeared hover F. Garcia, Jr. known to me to be the person and officer whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that the same was the act of the said GTE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC., and that s/he had executed the same as the act of such corporation for the purpose and consideration therein expressed, and in the capacity therein stated.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 14th day of

_____, 2000.

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ROSITTA MARIA TOLBERT

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