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Name (line 1) Corbett Bloom

Execution Date  
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**NOW, THEREFORE**, the undersigned ASSIGNOR hereby confirms that ASSIGNOR is a full time salaried employee of ASSIGNEE and that ASSIGNOR developed the subject matter of the invention on ASSIGNEE's time and at the expense of ASSIGNEE and within the scope of ASSIGNOR's duties as an employee of ASSIGNEE and thereby ASSIGNOR recognizes that the ASSIGNEE owns the invention as described in the aforesaid application. Nonetheless to comport with Patent Office procedures, ASSIGNOR memorializes that relationship in the form of this assignment and;

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perfect ASSIGNEE's full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred and to file any of the aforementioned applications.

**EXECUTED** as of the date(s) written below by ASSIGNOR:

INVENTOR'S NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE
<u>Lisa Steury</u>	308 8th St., #3 Hoboken, NJ 07030		

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared LISA STEURY, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and she acknowledged that she signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(Seal)

**Notary Public**

**My commission expires:**

INVENTOR'S NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE
<u>John Berkley</u>	2950 Harrison St. Evanston, IL 60201	_____	_____

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared JOHN BERKLEY, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(Seal)

**Notary Public**

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INVENTOR'S NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE
<u>Frank Scarpaci</u>	4405 New Hampshire St. San Diego, CA 92116	_____	_____

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
  ) ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared FRANK SCARPACI, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(Seal) \_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public  
My commission expires:  
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INVENTOR'S NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE
<u>Corinna Cooke</u>	39 Spur Lane Centereach, NY 11720	_____	_____

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
  ) ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared CORINNA COOKE, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and she acknowledged that she signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(Seal) \_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public  
My commission expires:  
\_\_\_\_\_

INVENTOR'S NAME ADDRESS SIGNATURE DATE

Bill Rozenwaser 5611 E. Marilyn Dr.  
Scottsdale, AZ 85254

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

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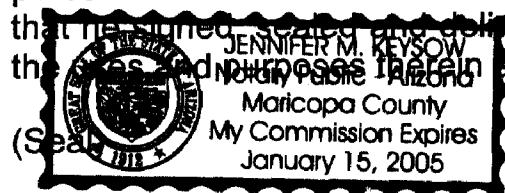
Corbett Bloom 6608 N. 82nd Way  
Scottsdale, AZ 85250

Corbett Bloom

7/11/01

STATE OF Arizona )  
 ) ss.  
County of Maricopa )

On this 11th day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared CORBETT BLOOM, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



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Jennifer M. Keysow  
Notary Public

My commission expires:

January 15, 2005

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400 East Van Buren  
Phoenix, Arizona 85004-2202  
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**ASSIGNMENT****UTILITY PATENT**

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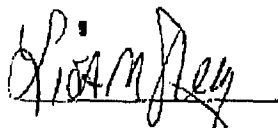
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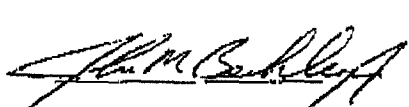
INVENTOR'S NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE
<u>Lisa Steury</u>	308 8th St., #3 Hoboken, NJ 07030		<u>7/9/01</u>

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

On this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared LISA STEURY, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and she acknowledged that she signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(Seal) ERIKA PANDOLFINI  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 02PA6024820  
Qualified in Essex County  
My commission expires May 17, 2003

  
Notary Public

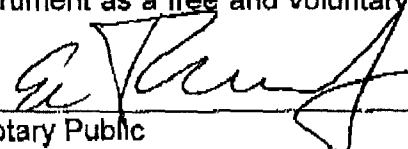
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County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

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(Seal)  
My commission expires:

ERIKA PANDOLFINI  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 02PA6024820  
Qualified in Essex County  
Commission Expires May 17, 2003

  
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Frank Scarpaci	4405 New Hampshire St. San Diego, CA 92116		


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**Notary Public**

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ERIK A PANDOLFINI  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 02PA0024620  
Qualified in Kings County  
Commission Expires May 17, 2003

INVENTOR'S NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE
<u>Bill Rozenwaser</u>	5611 E. Marilyn Dr. Scottsdale, AZ 85254		

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
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County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

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<u>Corbett Bloom</u>	6608 N. 82nd Way Scottsdale, AZ 85250		

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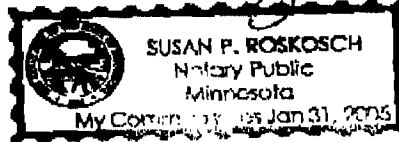
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INVENTOR'S NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE
<u>Bill Rozenwaser</u>	5611 E. Marilyn Dr. Scottsdale, AZ 85254	<u>W. Rozenwaser</u>	<u>7/10/01</u>

STATE OF Minnesota )  
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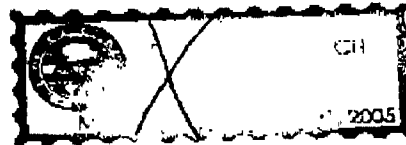


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(Seal)

Susan Roskosch  
 Notary Public

My commission expires:

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See above

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**WHEREAS**, the undersigned inventors (hereinafter singly and collectively "ASSIGNOR") of the addresses indicated below, have invented a "FEE ALLOCATOR SYSTEM AND METHOD" for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been executed on even date herewith);

**AND WHEREAS**, AMERICAN EXPRESS TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES COMPANY, INC. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York having its principal place of business and mailing address at General Counsel's Office, American Express Tower, World Financial Center, New York, New York 10285-4900, is desirous of memorializing its interest therein;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the undersigned ASSIGNOR hereby confirms that ASSIGNOR is a full time salaried employee of ASSIGNEE and that ASSIGNOR developed the subject matter of the invention on ASSIGNEE's time and at the expense of ASSIGNEE and within the scope of ASSIGNOR's duties as an employee of ASSIGNEE and thereby ASSIGNOR recognizes that the ASSIGNEE owns the invention as described in the aforesaid application. Nonetheless to comport with Patent Office procedures, ASSIGNOR memorializes that relationship in the form of this assignment and;

**THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right to the invention, as described in the aforesaid application, and any improvements or derivative works, including patent, copyright and any other intellectual property rights, any provisional, non-provisional, continuation, continuation in part, divisional, reissue, reexamination, foreign, PCT or other patent application or like document, , or any other application which claims priority to said application, in the United States and all foreign countries, 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 adheres, and hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, for the sole use and benefit of ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives,

**AND HEREBY AGREES** to transfer a like interest to ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, without further remuneration, in and to any improvements and applications for patents based thereon, growing out of or relating to the invention; and to provide all reasonable assistance and execute any papers, if accurate, desired by ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to

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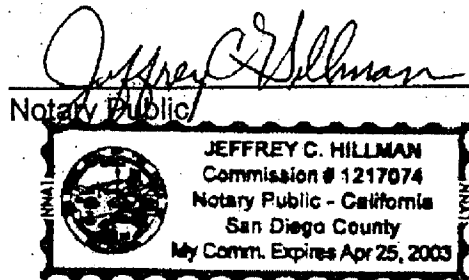
STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
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On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared FRANK SCARPACI, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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My commission expires:

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On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared CORINNA COOKE, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and she acknowledged that she signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared BILL ROZENWASER, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared CORBETT BLOOM, who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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