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Whereas, I,

(1) Derek Edward Williams, of Austin, Williamson County, Texas

have invented certain improvements in

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EXPOSING HIDDEN **EVENTS ON SYSTEM BUSES**

and executed, respectively a United States patent application therefor on (Date Inventor Signed Declaration) (1) July 30 , 2001.

Whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

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(1) Signed at Austin on July 30, 2001.

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