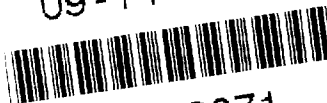


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1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Imperial Bank

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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Comdisco, Inc.

Internal Address: _____

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:



Assignment



Merger



Security Agreement



Change of Name



Other Assignment of Security Interest

Street Address: 3000 Sand Hill Road

City: Menlo Park State: CA Zip: 94025

Execution Date: July 31, 2001

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

US97/06183

B. Patent No.(s)

6,032,147

5,845,283

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Sarah J. Moskowitz, Esq.

Internal Address: Bingham Dana LLP

6. Total number of applications and patents involved: ☒ 3

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Sarah J. Moskowitz

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ASSIGNMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST IN PATENTS

WHEREAS, Imperial Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, having a place of business at 226 Airport Parkway, San Jose, CA 95110 (the "Assignor"), is the owner of a security interest in the patents and patent applications in the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") identified on Exhibit A hereto (the "Patents") pursuant to a Security Agreement between the Assignor and LinguatEQ Incorporated, a Delaware corporation, recorded with the PTO on October 27, 1999 at Reel 010340/Frame 0069; and

WHEREAS, Comdisco, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, having a place of business at 3000 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park CA (the "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring Assignor's security interest in the Patents;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, as of July 31, 2001, the Assignor does hereby assign, sell and transfer to the Assignee, and does hereby confirm the assignment, sale and transfer unto the Assignee of, all of the Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Patents and the inventions disclosed and claimed therein, and in and to any foreign patents or patent applications which correspond to, or are based upon, or claim priority from, any of the Patents, and any and all reissues, extensions, continuations-in-whole or continuations-in-part of any of the foregoing, together with the right to sue and recover for, and the right to profits or damages due or accrued arising out of or in connection with, any and all past, present or future infringements of the Patents (and any patent(s) issuing with respect to the patent applications included therein) or inventions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignor, by its duly authorized officer, has executed this assignment, as an instrument under seal, as of the 31st day of July, 2001.

IMPERIAL BANK

By: 

Name: GARY W. ANDERSEN

Title: VICE PRESIDENT

STATE OF GEORGIA)
COUNTY OF COBB)ss.

On this the 17 day of AUGUST, 2001, before me appeared GARY ANDRESEN, the person who signed this instrument, who acknowledged that (s)he is a VICE PRESIDENT and that (s)he signed such instrument as a free act on behalf of IMPERIAL BANK.

Forrest D. Neely
Notary Public

[Seal]

My commission expires: APRIL 3, 2005

Exhibit A

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>PCT or Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing or Registration Date</u>
1. 6,032,147	08/825276	2/29/00
2. 5,845,283	08/639073	12/1/98
3.	US97/06183	4/24/97

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AGREEMENT

This AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") is entered into as of July 31, 2001, by and among LINGUATEQ INCORPORATED, a Delaware corporation ("Linguateq"); COMDISCO, INC., a Delaware corporation ("Comdisco"); and SONUS NETWORKS, INC., a Delaware corporation ("Sonus").

WHEREAS, Linguateq and Imperial Bank, a California corporation ("Imperial Bank"), entered into that certain Credit Terms and Conditions dated October 19, 1999 (along with the Commitment Letters attached thereto dated August 17, 1999 and October 12, 1999), as amended by the Second Amendment to Credit Terms and Conditions dated August 24, 2000 and the Third Amendment to Credit Terms and Conditions dated February 23, 2001, which along with the following related documents collectively constitute the "Imperial Bank Loan Agreements" and pursuant to which Imperial Bank made a loan to Linguateq, which loan is secured by all of Linguateq's personal property (the "Imperial Bank Secured Debt"), including, without limitation, security interests in certain patents and trademarks granted pursuant to those certain Patent and Trademark Agreements recorded by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 27, 1999, at Reel 010340 and Frame 0069, on October 28, 1999, at Trademark Reel 1988 and Frame 0834, and those certain Notices of Recordation of Assignment Documents dated January 28, 2000 and February 15, 2000 (collectively, the "Imperial Bank Patent and Trademark Agreements");

WHEREAS, pursuant to that certain Assignment Agreement of even date herewith between Imperial Bank and Comdisco, Imperial Bank has transferred to Comdisco all of Imperial Bank's right, title and interest in the Imperial Bank Secured Debt, the Imperial Bank Loan Agreements, and all collateral security granted by Linguateq to Imperial Bank to secure the Imperial Bank Secured Debt, including the Imperial Bank Patent and Trademark Agreements;

WHEREAS, Linguateq and Imperial Creditcorp, a California corporation ("Imperial Credit"), entered into that certain Loan and Security Agreement dated September 8, 2000, which along with the following related documents collectively constitute the "Imperial Credit Loan Agreements" and pursuant to which Imperial Credit made a loan to Linguateq, which loan is secured by all of Linguateq's personal property (the "Imperial Credit Secured Debt"), including, without limitation, security interests in certain patents and trademarks granted pursuant to those certain Patent and Trademark Agreements recorded by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 29, 2000, at Reel 011159 and Frame 0208 and at Trademark Reel 2161 and Frame 0335 (collectively, the "Imperial Credit Patent and Trademark Agreements");

WHEREAS, pursuant to that certain Assignment Agreement of even date herewith between Imperial Credit and Comdisco, Imperial Credit has transferred to Comdisco all of Imperial Credit's right, title and interest in the Imperial Credit Secured Debt, the Imperial Credit Loan Agreements, and all collateral security granted by Linguateq to Imperial Credit to secure the Imperial Credit Secured Debt, including without limitation the Imperial Credit Patent and Trademark Agreements;

WHEREAS, Linguateq is in default of its obligations to Comdisco with respect to each of the Imperial Bank Secured Debt and Imperial Credit Secured Debt (collectively, the "Secured Debts"), and under each of the Imperial Bank Loan Agreements and the Imperial Credit Loan Agreements (collectively, the "Loan Agreements", and all obligations under the Secured Debts and Loan Agreements collectively referred to as the "Obligations"), and all of such Obligations have been accelerated and are now immediately due and payable;

WHEREAS, Comdisco has elected to conduct a private foreclosure sale of the assets of Linguateq, in the exercise of its default remedies under the Loan Agreements, and to sell such assets by private sale upon the terms and conditions set forth in that certain Foreclosure Sale Agreement between Comdisco and Sonus of even date herewith (the "Foreclosure Sale," and the "Foreclosure Sale Agreement," respectively), the assets to be sold to Sonus in connection with the Foreclosure Sale Agreement being more fully identified therein and referred to therein and herein as the "Transferred Assets," and

WHEREAS, Linguateq has determined that the Foreclosure Sale is in its best interests and the best interests of the creditors of Linguateq, and has determined to support the sale of the Transferred Assets to Sonus; and

WHEREAS, in order to facilitate the sale of the Transferred Assets in accordance with the Foreclosure Sale Agreement, and upon the conditions provided herein and in that certain Peaceful Foreclosure Agreement among Linguateq, Sonus and Comdisco of even date herewith (the "Peaceful Foreclosure Agreement") and subject to the terms hereof and thereof, Linguateq has agreed to facilitate the sale and to cooperate with Comdisco and Sonus in connection therewith.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereby agree as follows:

1. Linguateq confirms its consent to the sale by Comdisco to Sonus of the Transferred Assets upon the terms and conditions set forth in the Foreclosure Sale Agreement.
2. Linguateq acknowledges and agrees, and confirms its agreements set forth in the Peaceful Foreclosure Agreement, that the following are true and correct as of the date of this Agreement:
 - a. That Comdisco holds a valid, perfected security interest in all of the assets of Linguateq including, but not limited to, the Transferred Assets being sold to Sonus, including without limitation the patents, patent applications, trademarks, trademark registrations, and trademark registration applications;
 - b. That Linguateq has defaulted under the Obligations to Comdisco (including those assigned to Comdisco by Imperial Bank and

Imperial Credit), that there are one or more Events of Default under and as defined in each of the respective Loan Agreements, and that all of the Obligations have been accelerated and are now immediately due and payable; and

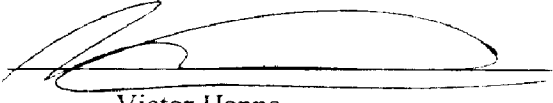
- c. That Comdisco is entitled to exercise its default remedies against Linguatq, including, without limitation, its rights of private sale of the collateral as provided by the Foreclosure Sale Agreement.

- 3. This Agreement is executed and delivered pursuant to and in furtherance of the Peaceful Foreclosure Agreement and the other documents (together, the "Transaction Documents") executed and delivered in connection with the purchase of certain assets and intellectual property of Linguatq by Sonus. This Agreement does not alter, amend or change the provisions of the Transaction Documents. The terms and conditions of the Peaceful Foreclosure Agreement and other Transaction Documents shall govern the rights, covenants, representations and warranties and other obligations of the parties set forth herein. To the extent that the provisions of this Agreement conflict or are inconsistent with the terms of the Transaction Documents, the terms of the Transaction Documents shall govern.
- 4. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts which, taken together, shall constitute one and same agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF. the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the date first indicated above.

COMDISCO, INC.

By



Name

Victor Hanna

Title

Vice President

LINGUATEQ INCORPORATED

By

Name

Title

SONUS NETWORKS, INC.

By

Name

Title

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the date first indicated above.

COMDISCO, INC.

By _____
Name _____
Title _____

LIGUATEQ INCORPORATED

By John O. May
Name John O. May
Title CEO

SONUS NETWORKS, INC.

By _____
Name _____
Title _____

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COMDISCO, INC.

By _____
Name _____
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LINGUATEQ INCORPORATED

By _____
Name _____
Title _____

SONUS NETWORKS, INC.

By Melinda Brown
Name Melinda Brown
Title VP + General Counsel