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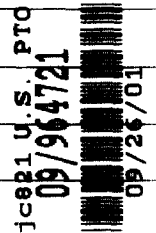
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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, we, CALEB BRYANT, residing at 15434 Doris Court, Moorpark, California 93021, PHILIP ALAN MASTINICK, residing at 277 Via Cantilena, Camarillo, California 93012 and LAWRENCE E. SMOLENSKI, residing at 135 Heavenly Valley Road, Newbury Park, California 91320 ("Assignors"), are the owners of the inventions and patent applications entitled SYSTEM FOR DISSIPATING ELECTROSTATIC CHARGE IN A PRINTER (hereinafter referred to as I.P.);

WHEREAS, ZIH Corp., a Delaware corporation (Assignee), having its principal place of business at 1201 Market Street, Suite 1500, Wilmington, Delaware 19801, is desirous of acquiring the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to the said I.P. in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, for the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignors, by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said I.P., in the United States and throughout the world, and in and to any Patents which may be granted and issued therefor, and in and to any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues and extensions of said Patents and all international rights or priority associated therewith; and we further agree to sign all papers and perform all acts, without any further compensation but at no cost or

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Dated: 9.18.01

  
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Dated: 9-18-01

  
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