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## **ASSIGNMENT**

Whereas, we

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(2) Robert D. Driesch, Jr. City of Lakeville, County of Dakota and State of Minnesota,

(3) Randy L. Egan City of Byron,
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(4) Jeffrey W. Tenner City of Rochester,
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have invented certain improvements in

## METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPTIMIZING QUERIES IN A LOGICALLY PARTITIONED COMPUTER SYSTEM

and have executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefor on

Dates
Inventors (1) October 15 , 2001, (2) October 16 , 2001,
Signed
Declaration (3) October 22 , 2001, and (4) October 15 , 2001.

And 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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