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I hereby declare that I am the sole inventor (if only one inventor is named below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the invention relating to **"Multi-Point Multi-Channel Data Distribution System"** described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America filed on _____, Application No. _____, or, if not identified here by filing date and serial number, executed by me on even date with my execution of this Assignment.

For valuable consideration received, I hereby sell, assign and transfer to Sprint Communications Company L.P., a limited partnership duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest, for all countries in and to said inventions and all the rights and privileges under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefore, and any divisions, continuations, reissues and extensions thereof.

I agree that, when requested, I will, without charge to said corporation but at its expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, make all rightful declarations and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents or other forms of protection for said inventions in any and all countries and for vesting title thereto in said corporation, its successors, assigns or nominees. If I fail to perform those acts requested in the previous sentence, damages will be the amount of any honorarium that I received for this invention(s). This will not preclude Sprint or its successors, assigns and nominees from taking any action for securing, maintaining, or vesting title to Sprint, or its successors, assigns and nominees.

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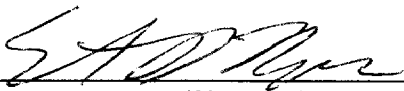
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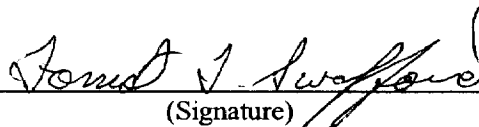
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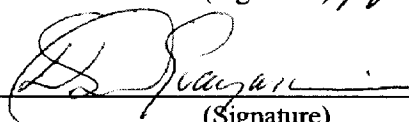
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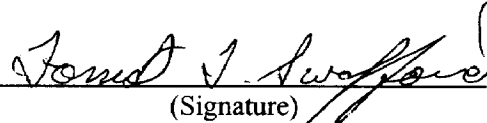
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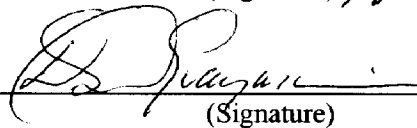
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