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To the Honoratic Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Ple	ease record the attached original document or copy thereof.
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1) ROMAN BASKO	Name: DIGIMINE INCORPORATED
<ul><li>2) SRI KRISHNA NAKKA</li><li>3) JAY SAULS</li></ul>	Internal Address:
4) RADHA KRISHNA UPPALA 5)	
6) 1-2-02	
Additional names of conveying parties attached?Yes _X No	
3. Nature of conveyance:  X Assignment Merger	Street Address: 10500 NE EIGHTH STREET
Security Agreement Change of Name	13TH FLOOR
	City BELLEVUE State WASHINGTON
Other	Zip: <u>98004-4732</u>
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4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):	
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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Roman Basko of Newcastle, Washington, Sri Krishna Nakka of Bellevue, Washington, Jay Sauls of Woodinville, Washington, and Radha Krishna Uppala of Redmond, Washington, ("ASSIGNORS"), having a post office address of 10500 NE Eighth Street, 13th Floor, Bellevue, Washington 98004-4732 are the joint inventors of an invention entitled "IMPORTING DATA USING METADATA," as described and claimed in the specification for which an application for United States letters patent was filed on June 1, 2001 and assigned Application No. 09/872,867.

WHEREAS, digiMine, Incorporated ("ASSIGNEE"), a corporation of the State of Washington having a place of business at 10500 NE Eighth Street, 13th Floor, Bellevue, Washington 98004-4732, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to the invention and in and to any patents that may be granted therefore in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell. assign, and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention as set forth in the abovementioned application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations, or extensions thereof, any other inventions described in the application, and any and all patents of the United States of America and all foreign countries that may be issued for the invention, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from the United States application to which foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, the invention, application and all patents on the invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same

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would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer, and sale not been made.

UPON THE ABOVE-STATED CONSIDERATIONS, ASSIGNORS agree to not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with this assignment, and at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, execute all instruments and documents and do such additional acts as ASSIGNEE may deem necessary or desirable to perfect ASSIGNEE's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign patents on the invention, for litigation regarding the patents, or for the purpose of protecting title to the invention or patents therefor.

ASSIGNORS authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Patent of the United States that may be issued for the invention to ASSIGNEE.

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Date		Roman Basko	
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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Roman Basko is the person who appeared before me, and the person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated 10/4/200/
Signature of Notary Public CHRIS CLARK

My appointment expires 10/31/2002



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Date	Sri Krishna Nakka	
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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Sri Krishna Nakka is the person who appeared before me, and the person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

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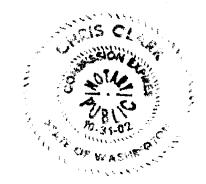
I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Jay Sauls is the person who appeared before me, and the person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Dated 10/4/200/

Signature of
Notary Public (MM)

Printed Name CHRIS CLARK

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10/26/2001	Radha Krishna Uppala
Date	Radha Krishna Uppala
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I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that Radha Krishna Uppala is the person who appeared before me, and the person acknowledged that he signed this instrument and acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.



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