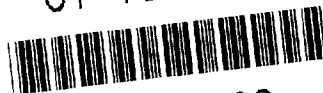


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We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to AT&T Corp. but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

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Hossein Eslambolchi

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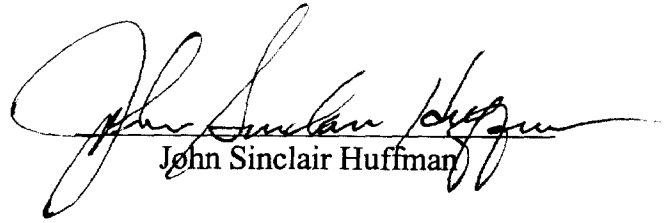
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On this 23 day of October, 2001, before me personally came Hossein Eslambolchi, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Jacqueline A. Sobon  
Notary Public

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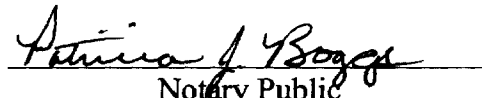
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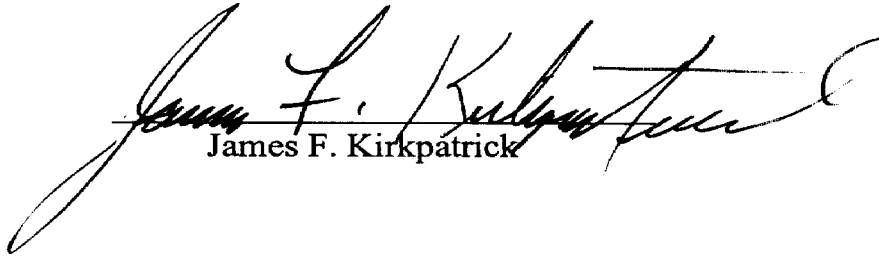
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On this 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2001, before me personally came John Sinclair Huffman, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

  
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James F. Kirkpatrick


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