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WHEREAS, Peritus Software Services, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNOR," is the current Assignee of the United States Patents listed in <u>Exhibit A</u> attached hereto; and whereas, it is now the sole owner of said patents, and,

WHEREAS, Rocket Software, Inc., a Massachusetts Corporation, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE" whose mailing address is Two Apple Hill Drive, Natick, Massachusetts, 01760, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is acknowledged, the ASSIGNOR, by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and to the said Patents aforesaid; the same to be held and enjoyed by the said ASSIGNEE for its own use and behoof, including, but not limited to, the right to sue for infringement that occurred prior to the date hereof; and for the use and behoof of its legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Patents are granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the ASSIGNOR had this assignment and sale not been made.

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EXHIBIT A:

Patent Title:	Patent No.:	Issue Date:
Process and tool for scalable automated data field replacement.	5,838,979	November 17, 1998
Method and apparatus for analyzing computer code using weakest precondition.	6,029,002	February 22, 2000