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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, the undersigned, to wit:

- (1) James Aweya;
- (2) Delfin Y. Montuno;
- (3) Michel Ouellette;
- (4) Zhonghui Yao; and
- (5) Victor Firoiu.

(hereinafter collectively ASSIGNOR), has/have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled:

## "CONSTANT GAIN CONTROLLER FOR ACTIVE QUEUE MANAGEMENT"

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	(b)	herewith the Unite Office; (b) which was is being States Pa (C) which w	herewith and is the United State Office; (b) which was execut is being filed States Patent and (C) which was filed	herewith and is being the United States Pat Office;  (b) which was executed on is being filed herewing States Patent and Trade (C) which was filed as	herewith and is being filed the United States Patent ar Office;  (b) which was executed on is being filed herewith in States Patent and Trademark (C) which was filed as U	herewith and is being filed herewithe United States Patent and Tradoffice;  (b) which was executed on, 20 is being filed herewith in the U States Patent and Trademark Office;

AND WHEREAS, Nortel Networks Limited (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a Canadian company having its principal place of business at 2351 Boulevard Alfred-Nobel, St. Laurent, Quebec, H4S 2A9, Canada, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and any and all patents that may be obtained therefor, and in and to said application and any and all patents that may issue therefrom;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR does hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, all right, title, and interest in and to said invention throughout the world, and any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries that may be obtained therefor, and in and to said application, including any and all continuations, continuations—in—part, divisionals, reissues, re—examinations, substitutions, and extensions thereof, and any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries that may issue therefrom, such right, title, and interest including the

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right to file applications and obtain patents, utility models, industrial models, and designs for said invention in the name of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, throughout the world, including all rights of priority, all rights to publish cautionary notices reserving ownership of said invention, and all rights to register said invention in appropriate registries;

ASSIGNOR also does hereby covenant that it has the full right to convey the entire right, title, and interest herein assigned, and that it has not and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith;

ASSIGNOR also does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all Letters Patent of the United States on said invention or resulting from said application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations, substitutions, and extensions thereof, to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives as the ASSIGNEE of the entire right, title, and interest herein assigned;

ASSIGNOR also does hereby agree to, at any time, upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives, execute and deliver any and all papers, make all rightful oaths, and do all lawful acts that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the entire right, title, and interest herein assigned in said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, and generally do everything possible to vest the entire right, title, and interest herein assigned in said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives;

ASSIGNOR also does hereby agree to, at any time, upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives, execute and deliver any and all papers, make all rightful oaths, and do all lawful acts that may be necessary or desirable to make application for and obtain any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals, reissues, reexaminations, substitutions, or extensions of said application, or any application on said invention, or any patent issuing therefor or therefrom;

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ASSIGNOR also does hereby agree to, at any time, upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives, communicate to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, any known facts relating to said invention or said application or any patent issuing therefor or therefrom, and testify as to the same in any interference or other litigation proceeding when requested to do so, and aid said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, in obtaining and enforcing proper protection for said invention in all countries;

ASSIGNOR also does hereby grant the firm of Hunton & Williams of 1900 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., 20006-1109, or its agents, the power to insert on this assignment any further information, including but not limited to application number(s) and filing date(s), which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with any rule or request of the United States Patent and Trademark office for the purposes of recording this document.

ASSIGNOR also does now hereby execute this document on the date(s) indicated below:

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(1) IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23 day of APRIL, 2003

Print Name: James

Print Address: 24 Stikine Drive

Kanata, ON

CANADA K2T 1H1

Before me did personally appear the above-named James Aweya, personally known to me and/or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her own free act and deed, this Brd day of Hory

Sign: AMUCEN
Print Name: Arkere Mercer
Print Address: 136-1045 Morrison Dr.
Ottawa ON 1/2H 762

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(2) IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23 day of 20, 20

Sign: Y 14 Y 17 Print Name: Delfin Y. Montuno

Print Address: 122 Knudson Drive

Kanata, ON CANADA K2K 2L8

Before me did personally appear the above-named Delfin Y. Montuno, personally known to me and/or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her own free act and deed, this 23rd day of prid, 2003

Sign: OMUCH Print Name: Arlene Mercer

Print Address: 136-1045 Morrison on Ottawa ON 1241 762

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(3) IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23 day of 4

Sign:

Print Name: Michel Ouellette Print Address: 865 Concession 1

Plantagenet, ON CANADA KOB 1L0

Before me did personally appear the above-named Michel Ouellette, personally known to me and/or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her own free act and deed, this Brd day of Horil,

Sign: <u>A Mucu</u> Print Name: Arlene Mercer

Print Address: 136-1045 Monuson Di Ditaux ON 162H 762

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(4) IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this <u>23</u> day of <u>April</u>, 20<u>03</u>.

Print Name: Zhonghui Yao

Print Address: 708-960 Teron Road

Kanata, ON CANADA K2K 2B6

Before me did personally appear the above-named Zhonghui Yao, personally known to me and/or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her own free act and deed, this 23rd day of April , 2003

Sign: <u>Amuce</u> Print Name: Ariene Mercer Print Address: 136-1045 Mouson Dr. Ottawa DN 1/247L2

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(5) IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 22 day of April \_\_\_\_, 2003.

Print Name:

Print Address 4 Rolling Meadow Lane

Westford, MA USA 01886

Before me did personally appear the above-named Victor Firoiu, personally known to me and/or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his or her own free act and deed, this 22nd day of April , 2003.

Sign: M. W. Anderson
Print Name: Holmes W. Anderson
Print Address: 3 Woods. de Way
Atkinson, NH 03811

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