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Assignment

Whereas We,

Kathy Anstey of Cary, Brad Fisher of Chapel Hill and Jeff Summers of Cary

In: North Carolina, USA

have invented certain improvements in

METHOD AND SYSTEM TO AGGREGATE EVALUATION OF AT LEAST ONE METRIC ACROSS A PLURALITY OF RESOURCES

and have executed a United States patent application therefor on

March 25, 2004

And whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we the above named hereby sell, assign, and transfer to IBM, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and foreign countries, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and we request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in said application to IBM, its successors and assigns; and we hereby agree that IBM may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and we will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by IBM.

SIGNED AND SEALED

at: Raleigh, N.C.

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