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(1) Gennaro A. Cuomo,  
County of Wake,

City of Cary,  
and State of North Carolina,

and (2) Erik A. Daughtrey,  
County of Durham,

City of Durham,  
and State of North Carolina.

have invented certain improvements in

Autonomic Workload Classification Using Predictive Assertion for Wait Queue  
and Thread Pool Selection

and have executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefor on

(1) Feb. 8, 2004 (2) Feb. 8, 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;

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Signed

(1) at Durham, North Carolina  
(city/state where signed)

this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2004.

[Signature]  
(inventor)

(2) at Durham, North Carolina  
(city/state where signed)

this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2004.

Erik A. Daughtrey  
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