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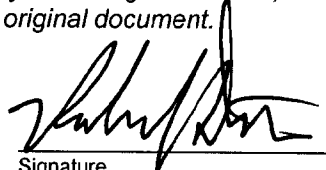


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## ASSIGNMENT

For valuable consideration, we, STEPHEN VAUGHAN MURPHY of 1777 Cambridge St. Halifax, NS B3H4A8 Canada, and BRADFORD L. SPENCER of 402 - <sup>169 BLS</sup>~~1969~~ Regency Park Drive Halifax, NS B3S 1P4 Canada, hereby assign to America Online, Inc., a corporation of Delaware having a place of business at 22000 AOL Way Dulles, VA 20166; and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of an application for United States Patent signed by us, entitled CALL WAITING USING EXTERNAL NOTIFICATION AND PRESENCE DETECTION, filed December 30, 2003, and assigned U.S. Serial Number 10/747,256, and we authorize and request the attorneys appointed in said application to hereafter complete this assignment by inserting above the filing date and serial number of said application when known; this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and we authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in our name or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and we agree for ourselves and our respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Bedford, N.S.,  
this 11 day of March, 2004  
BRADFORD L. SPENCER L.S.

State of Nova Scotia :  
: ss.  
County of Halifax :

Before me this 11 day of March, 2004, personally  
appeared BRADFORD L. SPENCER known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed  
to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and  
deed for the purposes therein contained.

Signature witnessed by:

2004/03/11  
Date

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