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Attorney's Docket No.: MSFTP523US  
MS Docket No.: MS305755.1  
Title: COLLAPSIBLE CONTAINER WITH SEMI-COLLAPSED VIEW

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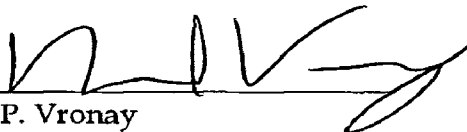
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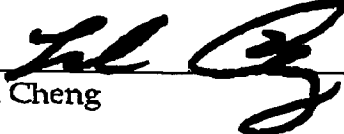
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