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AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, ASSIGNOR(S) (listed above) are inventor(s) of an invention entitled "STORING MESSAGE RULES IN GLOBAL FORM FOR TRANSFER BETWEEN SERVERS" as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent referenced above;

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WHEREAS, Microsoft Corporation (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation

of the State of Washington having a place of business at One Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA

98052, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in

and to any letters patent that may be granted therefore in the United States and in any and all

foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of

which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE,

the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all

letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its

territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues

and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of

ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which

said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise,

said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by

ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and

assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR(S)

had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR(S) hereby authorize and

request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said

invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR(S) agree to execute all instruments and documents

required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters

patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of

protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefore.

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