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**Filing Date:** Oct. 12, 2004      **Serial No.:** 10/964062

and the invention(s) and improvement(s) set forth therein, and any and all continuations, continuations-in-part (C-I-P's), divisionals, and renewals of and substitutes for said Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of countries foreign thereto which may be granted thereon or therefor; and any reissues, or reexaminations, or extensions of said Letters Patent.

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AND I/We hereby covenant that I/we have full right to convey my entire interest herein assigned, and that I/we have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and I/we further covenant and agree that I/we will, each time a request is made, and without undue delay, execute and deliver all such papers as may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said inventions(s) or improvements(s), said application and said Letters Patent, to HPDC, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, and I/we agree to communicate to HP, HPDC, or to its nominee, all known facts respecting said inventions(s) or improvements(s), said application and said Letters Patent, to testify in any legal proceedings, to sign all lawful papers, to execute all disclaimers and divisionals, continuations,

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Inventor's Typed Name: Randy Hoffman

Date Assignment Signed: 11/17/2004

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Inventor's Typed Name: **Hai Chiang**

State of Oregon

County of Benton

Before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of Nov., 2004, personally appeared Hai Chiang who is personally known or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who acknowledged the foregoing instrument of assignment to be his/her free act and deed.



*[Handwritten Signature: Trisha M. Melcher]*

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Sep. 29, 2008

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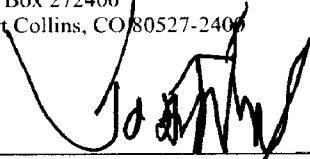
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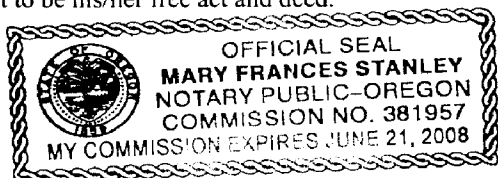
  
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Inventor's Typed Name: **John Wager**

Date Assignment Signed: 02 December 2004


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Before me this 2nd day of December, personally appeared John Wager who is personally known or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who acknowledged the foregoing instrument of assignment to be his/her free act and deed.



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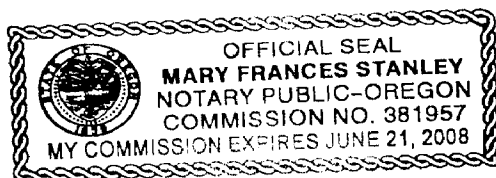
  
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