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Frank Strazzabosco	09/12/2005
Steve Kith	09/06/2005
Sharon R. Stanberg, Executrix for Bryan S. Johnson, Deceased	09/07/2005

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

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Street Address:	2513 Pinecone Circle	
City:	Fort Collins	
State/Country:	COLORADO	
Postal Code:	80525-6619	

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number
Application Number:	11207187

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Neil Skinn, residing at 2513 Pinecone Circle, Fort Collins, CO 80525-6619; I, Frank Strazzabosco, residing at 1311 Northview Drive, Erie, CO 80516-9069; I, Steve Kith, residing at 4284 S. Braun Court, Morrison, CO 80465; and Bryan S. Johnson, deceased (each herein called "ASSIGNOR"), am an inventor of the invention entitled "Apparatus and Method for Self-Tuning Stringed Musical Instruments with an Accompanying Vibrato Mechanism", for which I have executed an application for a Patent of the United States, filed August 18, 2005, Serial No. 11/207,187 and a corresponding application under the Patent Cooperation Treaty, filed August 18, 2005, Serial No. PCT/US05/29323

WHEREAS, Transperformance, LLC (herein called "ASSIGNEE"), a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Colorado, having a principal place of business at 2513 Pinecone Circle, Fort Collins, CO 80525-6619, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of my contractual and other legal obligations, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, a said ASSIGNOR, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States Application and all divisions, renewals, continuations and subsequent applications thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States; together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority of said patent applications listed herein and applications thereof and therefrom under The International Union for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application and applications thereof and therefrom is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

AND I HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the

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said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

AND I HEREBY covenant and agree that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

AND I HEREBY authorize the above-mentioned ASSIGNEE or its legal representative to insert in this instrument the filing date and serial number of said application(s) or any other information that may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document;

AND I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all continuing and subsequent applications, including divisional, reissue and foreign applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally cooperate and do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain, maintain, and enforce proper protection for said invention in any and all countries;

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal (if applicable) the day and year set opposite my signature.

9-19-2005

Date

NEIL SKINN

STATE OF COLORADO
) ss.

COUNTY OF Lariner

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 19th day of September (month), 2005 (year), personally appeared the above person, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to this instrument and who acknowledged to me that s/he executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes and consideration herein expressed.

Date: 09-19-05

My Commission expires: 02-18-09

Additional Assignors on additional sheets: Yes

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9-12-05 Date	FRANK	STRAZZABOSCO		
STATE OF COLORADO)			
COUNTY OF Boulder) ss.)			
BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day of Sectember (month), 2005 (year), personally appeared the above person, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to this instrument and who acknowledged to me that s/he executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes and consideration herein expressed.				
Date: 9/18/05	Ber	nice of Heal		
My Commission expires: 6/16	12008	Notary Public		
Additional Assignors on additiona	al sheets: Yes	BERNICE G HICKS NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF COLORADO My Commission Expires June 16, 2008		

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STEVE KITH

STATE OF COLORADO

COUNTY OF Agardol

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this of day of (month), 2005 (year), personally appeared the above person, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to this instrument and who acknowledged to me that s/he executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes and consideration herein expressed.

Date: Sept. 647 2005

My Commission expires: 10 4 06

Additional Assignors on additional sheets: Yes



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COUNTY OF Laviner

BRYAN S. JOHNSON, deceased

9/7/05 ate		By: Shern R. Stanberg, Executive R.
STATE OF COLORADO)	

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 7th day of September (month), 2005 (year), personally appeared the above person, known to me to be the Executrix of the Estate of Bryan S. Johnson, deceased, in accordance with the attached copy of evidence of appointment as Executor, and who acknowledged to me that she executed the same of her own free will for the purposes and consideration herein expressed.

Date: September 7th 2005 (Stand

My Commission expires: November 22008

Additional Assignors on additional sheets: NO



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