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WHEREAS, we now own the entire right, title and interest therein; and

WHEREAS, Sun Microsystems, Inc., hereinafter ASSIGNEE, a Delaware corporation, whose post office address is 4150 Network Circle, Santa Clara, California 95054, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to said invention, said application, and the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

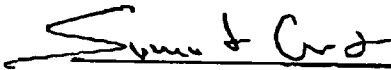
NOW THEREFORE, upon consideration of our employment and other good and valuable consideration, the adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, we do hereby sell and assign unto ASSIGNEE and ASSIGNEE's legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, and the Letters Patent, both of the United States and of other countries, and inventor's certificates, that may or shall issue thereon; and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEE, consistent with the terms of this Assignment.

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, we do hereby covenant with ASSIGNEE that we will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with this assignment, and that we will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of ASSIGNEE, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as ASSIGNEE may deem necessary or desirable to perfect ASSIGNEE's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in applying for and obtaining original, continuation,

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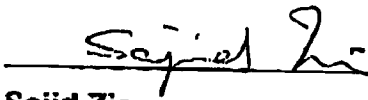
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