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## ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

JOINT

WHEREAS, **Stephen Paul Wilcox** of 6 Blanford Walk, Cambridge CB4 3NQ, United Kingdom; **Simon Kinahan** of 8c Adams Road, Cambridge CB3 9AD, United Kingdom; and **Ronald Ian Shipman** of 24 The Rowans, Baldock, Herts SG7 6HL, United Kingdom, hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," are the inventors of the invention described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: **ESTIMATION OF AVERAGE-CASE ACTIVITY FOR DIGITAL STATE MACHINES**

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Application No.: **11/150,850; and**

WHEREAS, **Azuro (UK) Limited**, a corporation of the United Kingdom, located at St. Johns Innovation Centre, Cowley Road, Cambridge CB4 0WS, United Kingdom, hereinafter referred to as "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same;

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignors have signed their names on the dates indicated.

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