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ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, we, ERIC BILLINGSLEY, of the City of Campbell, State of California and the Country of United States of America; DANIEL T. KAO, of the City of San Jose, State of California and the Country of United States of America; SHIO-HSIEN TAI, of the City of Milpitas, State of California and the Country of United States of America and LAURA WONG of the City of San Jose, State of California and in the Country of United States of America, hereby sell, assign and transfer to eBay Inc., a Delaware corporation having an office at 2145 Hamilton Avenue, San Jose, California 95125, and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to certain inventions related to **PUBLICATION OF INFORMATIONAL MESSAGES TO SOFTWARE APPLICATIONS IN A COMPUTING ENVIRONMENT** described in U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/575,498, filed May 28, 2004, and U.S. Patent Application No. 11/140,660, filed May 27, 2005, and all the rights and privileges in said applications and under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted in the United States for said inventions; and we also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to eBay Inc. the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize eBay Inc. to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of eBay Inc. to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to eBay Inc. in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as eBay Inc. may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to eBay Inc. but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

Date: 6/29/05


Eric Billingsley

Country of _____
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On this _____ day of _____, 2005, before me personally came Eric Billingsley, known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

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Date: 6/30/05

[Signature]
Daniel T. Kao

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Laura Wong

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