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I, Bryant Eastham, whose residence and post office address is as stated below next to my name, have invented a method and apparatus entitled SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR SELECTING A TRANSPORT MECHANISM FOR COMMUNICATION IN A NETWORK, hereinafter called the "invention."

Preferred embodiments of said invention are disclosed in a United States patent application executed concurrently herewith by me and now identified as File No. 2291.2.38 of the law firm of Madson & Austin, Gateway Tower West, 15 West South Temple, Suite 900, Salt Lake City, Utah 84101, and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as Serial No. 11/305,831 on December 16, 2005.

The Assignee, Matsushita Electric Works, Ltd., a corporation of Japan, having a principal place of business at 1048 Kadoma, Osaka, Japan 571-8686, desires to secure the entire right, title and interest in said invention.

In consideration of \$1.00 and other good and valuable consideration paid to me by the Assignee, the receipt and sufficiency of which I hereby acknowledge, I HEREBY ASSIGN TO THE ASSIGNEE:

The entire right, title and interest in said invention, in the above-identified United States patent application and in all divisions, continuations and continuations-in-part of said application, all previously filed provisional applications for which the present application seeks the benefit of an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 119, all reissues or extensions of Letters Patent or Patents granted thereon, and in all corresponding applications filed in countries foreign to the United States, and in all patents issuing thereon in the United States and foreign countries.

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I hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and such Patent Office officials in foreign countries as are duly authorized by their patent laws to issue patents, to issue any and all patents on said invention to the Assignee as the owner of the entire interest, for the sole use and benefit of the said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

I hereby agree, without further consideration and without expense to me, to sign all lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts which the Assignee may request of me to make this Assignment fully effective, including, by way of example but not of limitation, the following:

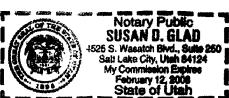
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Prompt execution of all original, divisional, substitute, reissue, and other United States and foreign patent applications on said invention, and all lawful documents requested by the Assignee to further the prosecution of any of such patent applications.

Cooperation to the best of my ability in the execution of all lawful documents, the production of evidence, nullification, reissue, extension, or infringement proceedings involving said invention.

This assignment and agreement shall be binding upon my heirs and legal representatives.

Executed this 2 day of February, 2006, at	
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Bryant Eastham	
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STATE OF Hah) :ss	
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On this 2 day of February, 2006, personally appeared before me Bryant Eastham who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to on this Assignment, and acknowledged that he executed the same.	
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