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**2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)**

Name: WMS Gaming Inc.

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Street Address:

800 S. Northpoint Blvd.

City: Waukegan

State: Illinois

Country: United States of America Zip: 60085

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, Benjamin T. Gomez and Alfred Thomas, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the following:

**WAGERING GAME FOR IMPLEMENTING GAME ENHANCEMENT PARAMETERS WITH A  
GUARANTEED BONUS**

for which I have made application for United States Letters Patent, the said application having been filed concurrently herewith.

WHEREAS, WMS Gaming Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 800 South Northpoint Boulevard, Waukegan, IL 60085 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, and in and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives my entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to said application and all patents which may be granted therefor, and all provisionals, divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, continuation-in-part and extensions thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as my interest is concerned, to the said ASSIGNEE of my entire right, title, and interest.

I also hereby sell and assign to said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the full and exclusive rights, title and interest to the invention disclosed in said application throughout the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents, utility models, industrial models and designs for said invention in its own name throughout the world, including all rights of priority, all rights to publish cautionary notices reserving ownership of said invention and all rights to register said invention in appropriate registries; and

I further agree to execute any and all powers of attorney, applications, assignments, declarations, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such rights, title and interest in ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

I hereby further agree that I will communicate to said ASSIGNEE, or its successors, assigns and legal representatives, any facts known to me respecting any improvements; and, at the expense of said ASSIGNEE, to testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all provisional, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and substitute applications, make all lawful oaths, and generally do everything possible to vest title in said ASSIGNEE and to aid said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of

February 2006


  
Benjamin T. Gomez

State of Illinois )

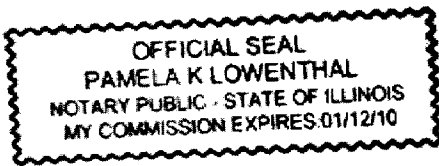
) ss.:

County of Cook )

On this 10th day of February 2006, before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Benjamin T. Gomez, known by me to be the person of the above name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

  
Notary Public

My Commission expires:




IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 15th day of February 2006.

  
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Alfred Thomas

State of Illinois )  
County of Cook ) ss.:

On this 15th day of February 2006, before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Alfred Thomas, known by me to be the person of the above name who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

  
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Notary Public

My Commission expires:

