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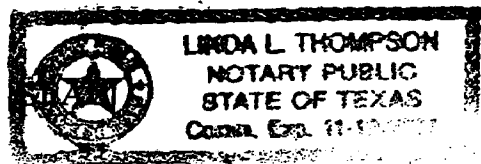
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Signature: Jingfei Ma Date: 8/24/04
Name: Jingfei Ma

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this 24 day of August, 2004 personally appeared Jingfei Ma, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.



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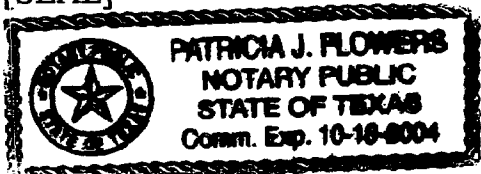
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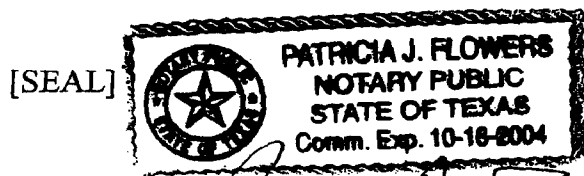


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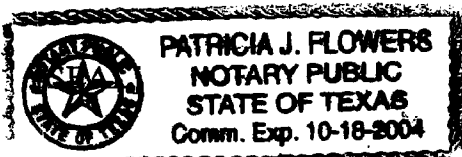
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Date: 8-26-2004

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