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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Roderic G. Cattell, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 8 Raccoon Lane, Tiburon, CA 94920, and Craig L. Russell, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 456 Chesley Avenue, Mountain View, CA 94040, referred to as ASSIGNORS, have invented a certain invention entitled: "Systems and Methods for Synchronizing Data in a Cache and Database," for which a U.S. Application is filed herewith; and

WHEREAS, Sun Microsystems, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, having a principal place of business at 4150 Network Circle, Santa Clara, California 95054, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and the United States Letters Patent to be obtained therefor:

NOW THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention and all Letters Patent of the United States to be obtained therefor on said applications or any non-provisional, continuation, division, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNORS also assign all of its right, title and interest in and to said invention in all foreign countries, and all applications for Letters Patent which may evolve therefrom, including the right to claim International Convention priority.

ASSIGNORS hereby covenant that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale.

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