

**PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

Electronic Version v1.1  
 Stylesheet Version v1.1

<b>SUBMISSION TYPE:</b>	NEW ASSIGNMENT								
<b>NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:</b>	ASSIGNMENT								
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>									
<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width:70%;">Name</th> <th>Execution Date</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Benjiman L. Goodman</td> <td>08/16/2006</td> </tr> <tr> <td>William J. Starke</td> <td>08/16/2006</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Jeffrey A. Stuecheli</td> <td>08/10/2006</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Name	Execution Date	Benjiman L. Goodman	08/16/2006	William J. Starke	08/16/2006	Jeffrey A. Stuecheli	08/10/2006
Name	Execution Date								
Benjiman L. Goodman	08/16/2006								
William J. Starke	08/16/2006								
Jeffrey A. Stuecheli	08/10/2006								
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>									
<b>Name:</b>	International Business Machines Corporation								
<b>Street Address:</b>	New Orchard Road								
<b>City:</b>	Armonk								
<b>State/Country:</b>	NEW YORK								
<b>Postal Code:</b>	10504								
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1</b>									
<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width:30%;">Property Type</th> <th>Number</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Application Number:</td> <td>11465587</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Property Type	Number	Application Number:	11465587				
Property Type	Number								
Application Number:	11465587								
<b>CORRESPONDENCE DATA</b>									
Fax Number:	(512)823-1036								
<i>Correspondence will be sent via US Mail when the fax attempt is unsuccessful.</i>									
Phone:	5128230092								
Email:	carterb@us.ibm.com								
Correspondent Name:	Casimer K. Salys								
Address Line 1:	11400 Burnet Road								
Address Line 2:	IBM-Intellectual Property Law								
Address Line 4:	Austin, TEXAS 78758								
<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:</b>	AUS920050272US1								
<b>NAME OF SUBMITTER:</b>	Casimer K. Salys								
Total Attachments: 1 source=assignment#page1.tif									

CH \$40.00 11465587

**PATENT**

ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, we,

- (1) BENJIMAN L. GOODMAN of CEDAR PARK  
County of WILLIAMSON and State of TEXAS
- (2) WILLIAM J. STARKE of ROUND ROCK  
County of WILLIAMSON and State of TEXAS
- (3) JEFFREY A. STUECHELI of AUSTIN  
County of TRAVIS and State of TEXAS

have invented certain improvements in


DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PREDICTIVELY  
SELECTING A SCOPE OF A PREFETCH OPERATION

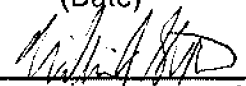
and executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefore on


(Dates Inventors Signed Declaration) (1) 8/16, (2006); (2) 8/16, (2006); and  
(3) 8/10, (2006).

Whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefore;

Now therefore, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we, the above named, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to IBM, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and foreign countries, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and we request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in said application to IBM, its successors and assigns; and we hereby agree that IBM may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and we will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by IBM.

(1) Signed at Austin on 8/16, 2006.  
(City) (Date)  
  
BENJIMAN L. GOODMAN

(2) Signed at Austin on 8/16, 2006.  
(City) (Date)  
  
WILLIAM J. STARKE

(3) Signed at Austin on Aug 10, 2006.  
(City) (Date)  
  
JEFFREY A. STUECHELI