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For valuable consideration, we, Harry W. MORRIS, of Reston, VA and Robert G. WATKINS of Vienna, VA hereby assign to AMERICA ONLINE, INC., a Delaware corporation having a place of business at 22000 AOL Way, Dulles, VA 20166, and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest, including, without limitation, the right to sue for past infringement, throughout the world in the inventions and improvements, which are subject of an application for United States Patent signed by us, entitled MANAGING NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN USERS OF A COMPUTER NETWORK, filed August 4, 1999, and assigned U.S. Serial Number 09/366,544, and we authorize and request the attorneys appointed in said application to hereafter complete this assignment by inserting above the filing date and serial number of said application when known; this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and we authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in our name or in its own name for patents, utility models, and design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and we agree for ourselves and our respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Dulles, Virginia this 29th day of sept
__, 1999

Harry W. Morris L.S.
Harry W. MORRIS

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Dulles, Virginia this 5th day of oct
__, 1999

Robert G. Watkins L.S.
Robert G. WATKINS

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