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WHEREAS, U.S. Bancorp, a corporation having an office and place of business at 800 Nicollet Mall, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402 (hereinafter "Assignor") is the Assignee of certain intellectual property set forth in four Letters Patents issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

1) U.S. Patent No. 5,910,896 issued on June 8, 1999 (Serial No. 08/748,243 filed November 12, 1996) and entitled: "Shipment Transaction System and an Arrangement Thereof;"

2) U.S. Patent No. 7,110,959 issued on September 19, 2006 (Serial No. 10/729,350 filed on December 5, 2003) and entitled: "Processing and Management of Transaction Timing Characteristics;"

3) U.S. Patent No. 6,571,149 issued on May 27, 2003 (Serial No. 09/259,657 filed on February 26, 1999) and entitled: "Shipment Transaction System and Method;" and

4) U.S. Patent No. 6,704,612 issued on March 9, 2004 (Serial No. 09/310,711 filed on May 12, 1999) and entitled: "Transaction Validation System for Auditing and Method."

AND WHEREAS, U.S. Bank National Association, a corporation having an office and place of business at 800 Nicollet Mall, Suite 200, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402 (hereinafter "Assignee") has been desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said intellectual property as listed above.

NOW THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned, and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors or assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the above-referenced intellectual property for which the identified Letters Patents have issued, and in and to the application, all divisions, continuations, conversions or renewals thereof, all Letters Patent which may be granted therefrom, but subject to the exceptions below, and all reissues or extensions of such patents, and in and to any and all applications which have been or shall be filed in any foreign countries for Letters Patent on the inventions and improvements, including an assignment of all rights under the provisions of the International Convention, and all Letters Patent of foreign countries which may be granted therefrom; and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any and all United States Letters Patent for the aforesaid inventions and improvements to the Assignee as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the use of the Assignee, its successors and assigns.

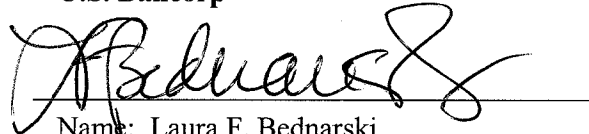
AND, for the aforesaid consideration and other consideration that would be reasonable under the circumstances, Assignor hereby agrees that it and its executors and legal representatives will

make, execute and deliver any and all other instruments in writing including any and all further application papers, affidavits, assignments and other documents, and will communicate to said Assignee, its successors and representatives all facts known to Assignor relating to said improvements and the history thereof and will testify in all legal proceedings and generally do all things reasonable under the circumstances which may be necessary or desirable more effectually to secure to and vest in said Assignee, its successors or assigns the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements, inventions, applications, Letters Patent, rights, titles, benefits, privileges and advantages hereby sold, assigned and conveyed, or intended so to be.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE ABOVE, for each of the aforesaid applications for Letters Patent that refers to or otherwise incorporates one or more patent documents (*i.e.*, pending application(s) for letters patent or issued patents), this ASSIGNMENT does not in any way assign, transfer or otherwise convey any rights, title and/or interest to any inventions or improvements set forth in the referred to or incorporated patent document, to Assignee.

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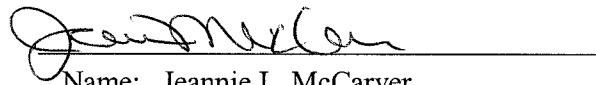


Name: Laura F. Bednarski

Title: Vice President

U.S. Bank National Association

Date: September 25, 2007




Name: Jeannie L. McCarver

Title: Senior Vice President

On this 25th day of September, 2007, before me personally appeared the above-named corporate officers, known to me to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who have duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

STATE OF Minnesota)
COUNTY OF Hennepin) ss.

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