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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, DANIEL M. LAKICH, a citizen of the United States residing at 350 Rocky Knoll Road, Walhalla, South Carolina 29691 (hereinafter referenced as ASSIGNOR), have invented a certain new and useful invention entitled EXTENDING CONTACT LIFE IN REMOTE DISCONNECT APPLICATIONS as described and set forth in a U.S. provisional patent application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, bearing U.S. Serial No. 60/852,742, which was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 19, 2006 and as described in a patent application for U.S. Letters Patent, bearing U.S. Serial No. 11/975,142 which was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 17, 2007;

AND WHEREAS, ITRON, INC. (hereinafter ASSIGNEE), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Washington, United States of America, and having its principal office and place of business at 2111 N. Molter Road, Liberty Lake, Washington 99019, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, the said ASSIGNOR, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the full and exclusive right, title and interest to the said invention in the United States and all foreign countries, as described in the aforesaid application, together with the right of priority under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and

Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States of America adheres, and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to record transfer of said Letters of Patent to the said ASSIGNEE, for its interest as ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.

And I hereby agree to transfer a like interest, upon the request of the ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, and without further remuneration, in and to any improvements, and applications for patent based thereon, growing out of or related to the said invention; and to execute any papers by the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, deemed essential to ASSIGNEE's full protection and title in and to the invention hereby transferred.

Agreeing furthermore, upon request of said ASSIGNEE, and without further remuneration, to execute any and all papers desired by said ASSIGNEE for the filing and granting of foreign applications and the perfecting of title thereto in said ASSIGNEE.

This Assignment executed on the date indicated below.

