PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Execution Date
Bertrand Haas	08/19/2008

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	Pitney Bowes Inc.
Street Address:	One Elmcroft Road
City:	Stamford
State/Country:	CONNECTICUT
Postal Code:	06926

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number
Application Number:	12198262

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Total Attachments: 2

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Bertrand Haas have invented certain new and useful improvements in a METHOD FOR PROTECTING SIGNATURES STORED IN A DATABASE identified as File Number G-411 in the Intellectual Property and Technology Law Department files of the hereinafter-mentioned assignee, and have executed an application for United States Patent based thereon on the 1940 day of August, 2008;

AND WHEREAS, I acknowledge that at the time of the invention, I was under an obligation to convey the entire rights in the invention to the hereinafter-mentioned assignee;

AND WHEREAS, Pitney Bowes Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having its place of business at 1 Elmcroft Road, Stamford, Connecticut, U.S.A., is desirous of perfecting certain rights thereunder.

NOW, THEREFORE, for one dollar and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, I have agreed to and hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said corporation the entire right, title and interest, in and throughout the United States of America (including its territories and dependencies) and all countries foreign thereto, in and to said invention, said application and any and all patents (including extensions thereof, and all the rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property including the right to claim for any foreign patent application the priority date of the corresponding U.S. patent application) of any country, which have been or may be granted on said invention or any part thereof, or on said application or any divisional, continuing, renewal, substitute, reissue or other patent application based in whole or in part thereon, or based upon said invention;

TO BE HELD AND ENJOYED by said corporation, its successors and assigns, to the full ends of the respective terms of which said patents or any of them have been or may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me had no sale and assignment of said interest been made;

AND I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America to issue any and all United States patents which may be granted upon said United States application or any of them, or upon said invention or any part thereof, to said corporation;

AND I hereby agree for myself and for my heirs, executors and administrators, to execute without further consideration any further lawful documents and any further assurances, and any divisional, continuing, renewal, substitute, reissue, or other applications for patents of any country, that may be deemed necessary by said corporation fully to secure to said corporation, its interest as aforesaid in and to said invention or any part thereof, and in and to said several patents or any of them;

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AND I do hereby covenant for myself and my legal representatives and agree with said corporation, its successors and assigns, that I have granted no right or license to make, use or sell said invention to anyone except said corporation, that, prior to the execution of this deed, my right, title and interest in said invention had not been otherwise encumbered, and that I have not executed and will not execute any instrument in conflict herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal:

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of Connecticut)

) ss. Shelton

County of Fairfield

RECORDED: 08/26/2008

On this <u>1940</u> day of August, 2008, personally appeared before me the abovenamed Bertrand Haas to me known and known by me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and subscribed the same in my presence, and acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed in and for the purposes set forth in said instrument.

Amy A. Harvey

My Commission Expires October 31, 2010

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