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A S S I G N M E N T

WHEREAS, we, Kim Silverman; DeVang Naik; Jerome Bellegarda; and Kevin Lenzo, residing, respectively, in Mountain View, California; San Jose, California; Saratoga, California; and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; and each having a post office address at 1 Infinite Loop, Cupertino, California 95014, have made an invention entitled:

SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR TEXT NORMALIZATION
FOR TEXT TO SPEECH SYNTHESIS

the specification of which was filed as U.S. Patent Application No. 12/240,449 on September 29, 2008; and

WHEREAS, APPLE INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of California and having an office and place of business at 1 Infinite Loop, Cupertino, California 95014 is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in said invention, said United States patent application and any Letters Patent which may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we hereby sell, assign and transfer unto the said APPLE INC., its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all right, title and interest in and to said invention and any improvements thereon for all countries of the world, and in and to said United States patent application, including any continuations, continuations-in-part, and divisions thereof, and any substitute applications therefor, and any patents which may issue thereon, and any reissues of the same, and including the right to claim priority under the International Convention based on said patent application; and all right, title and

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto signed our names and affixed our seal on the date indicated hereinafter.

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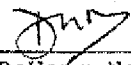
certificate issued before the date of this application in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by us or our legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to this application; and that no application for patent or inventor's certificate on this invention or discovery has been filed in any country foreign to the United States of America by us or our legal representatives or assigns;

Wherefore, we pray that Letters Patent be granted to us for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the attached specification and claims, and we hereby subscribe our names to the foregoing specification and claims, and declaration.

We declare, further, that we understand the English language and that all statements made herein of our knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and, further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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