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**ASSIGNMENT**

Whereas, we,

(1) **Malay K. Ganai**, of 117 Tennyson Drive, Plainsboro, NJ 08536.

(hereinafter called "Assignor(s)"), have made a certain invention, and executed United States Patent Application entitled:

**DPLL-BASED SAT SOLVER USING WITH APPLICATION-AWARE BRANCHING**

Whereas, NEC Laboratories America, Inc.  
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(hereinafter called "Assignee"), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and the invention, and to any applications, patents and/or utility model registrations filed or obtained therefor in every Country (hereinafter called the "Designated Countries").

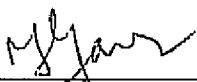
Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,

I/we, the above named Assignor(s), hereby sell, assign and transfer to the above named Assignee the entire right, title and interest to file and/or obtain any applications, patents and/or utility model registrations in the Designated Countries as regards the United States application and the invention disclosed therein (including rights of priority based on the United States application), and I/we will execute without further consideration all papers deemed necessary by the Assignee in connection with such applications, patents and/or utility model registrations in the Designated Countries when called upon to do so by the Assignee.

Signed and Sealed:

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