

# PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER
EFFECTIVE DATE:	03/23/2010
<b>CONVEYING PARTY DATA</b>	
Name	Execution Date
Stratature, Incorporated	03/17/2010
<b>RECEIVING PARTY DATA</b>	
Name:	Microsoft Corporation
Street Address:	One Microsoft Way
City:	Redmond
State/Country:	WASHINGTON
Postal Code:	98052
<b>PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 2</b>	
Property Type	Number
Application Number:	60765704
Application Number:	11671804
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NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Christopher J. Leonard
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# STATE OF GEORGIA

## Secretary of State

Corporations Division

315 West Tower

#2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.

Atlanta, Georgia 30334-1530

## CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

I, **Brian P. Kemp**, the Secretary of State and the Corporations Commissioner of the State of Georgia, do hereby issue this certificate pursuant to Title 14 of the Official Code of Georgia annotated certifying that articles or a certificate of merger and fees have been filed regarding the merger of the below entities, effective as of 03/24/2010. Attached is a true and correct copy of the said filing.

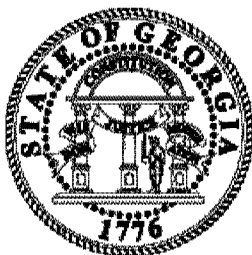
Surviving Entity:

**MICROSOFT CORPORATION**, a Washington Profit Corporation

Nonsurviving Entity/Entities:

**STRATATURE, INCORPORATED**, a Georgia Profit Corporation

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Atlanta  
and the State of Georgia on March 24, 2010



Brian P. Kemp  
Secretary of State

ARTICLES OF MERGER  
OF  
STRATATURE, INCORPORATED  
INTO  
MICROSOFT CORPORATION†

To the Secretary of State  
State of Georgia

Pursuant to the provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code governing the merger of a domestic wholly-owned subsidiary business corporation into its foreign parent business corporation, the foreign parent business corporation hereinafter named does hereby adopt the following articles of merger.

1. The name of the subsidiary corporation, which is a business corporation organized under the laws of the State of Georgia, is Stratature, Incorporated.

2. The name of the parent corporation, which is a business corporation organized under the laws of the State of Washington, is Microsoft Corporation.

3. The number of outstanding shares of Stratature, Incorporated is one hundred (100), all of which are of one class, and all of which are owned by Microsoft Corporation.

4. The following is the Plan of Merger for merging Stratature, Incorporated into Microsoft Corporation as approved by resolution of the Board of Directors of Microsoft Corporation.

"1. Microsoft Corporation, which is a business corporation of the State of Washington and is the owner of all of the outstanding shares of Stratature, Incorporated, which is a business corporation of the State of Georgia, hereby merges Stratature, Incorporated into Microsoft Corporation pursuant to the provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code and pursuant to the provisions of the Washington Business Corporation Act."

"2. The separate existence of Stratature, Incorporated shall cease at the time the merger takes effect merger pursuant to the provisions of the

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Georgia Business Corporation Code; and Microsoft Corporation shall continue its existence as the surviving corporation pursuant to the provisions of the Washington Business Corporation Act."

"3. The Articles of Incorporation of Microsoft Corporation are not amended in any respect by this Plan of Merger."

"4. The issued shares of Stratature, Incorporated shall not be converted or exchanged in any manner, but each said share which is issued as of the time the merger takes effect shall be surrendered and extinguished."

"5. Each share of Microsoft Corporation outstanding immediately prior to the time the merger takes effect is to be an identical outstanding or treasury or unissued share of Microsoft Corporation after the time the merger takes effect.

"6. No shares of Microsoft Corporation and no shares, securities, or obligations convertible into such shares are to be issued or delivered under this Plan of Merger."

"7. The Board of Directors and the proper officers of Microsoft Corporation are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to do any and all acts and things, and to make, execute, deliver, file, and/or record any and all instruments, papers, and documents which shall be or become necessary, proper, or convenient to carry out or put into effect any of the provisions of this Plan of Merger or of the merger herein provided for."

5. The executed Plan of Merger is on file at the principal place of business of Microsoft Corporation at One Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052.

6. A copy of the Plan of Merger will be furnished by Microsoft Corporation, on request and without cost, to any shareholder of any corporation that is a party to the merger.

7. Microsoft Corporation in its capacity as the holder of all of the outstanding shares of Stratature, Incorporated waived the mailing of a copy of the Plan of Merger to Microsoft Corporation otherwise provided for under the provisions of Section 14-2-1104 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code.

8. The laws of the jurisdiction of organization of Microsoft Corporation permit a merger of a wholly-owned subsidiary business corporation of another jurisdiction into a parent business corporation of the jurisdiction of organization of Microsoft Corporation; and the merger of

Stratature, Incorporated into Microsoft Corporation is in compliance with the laws of the jurisdiction of organization of Microsoft Corporation.

9. Shareholder approval was not required.

10. This Article constitutes an undertaking by the corporation that the request for publication of a notice of filing these Articles of Merger and payment therefor will be made as required by subsection (b) of Section 14-2-1105.1 of the Georgia Business Corporation Code.

11. The merger herein provided for shall take effect in the State of Georgia at 12 a.m. on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2010.

Dated: March 17, 2010

MICROSOFT CORPORATION

By: 

Name: Benjamin D. Gondorff

Title: Assistant Secretary

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CORPORATIONS DIVISION

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To The Gwinnett Daily Post  
P.O. Box 603  
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30046-0603

Dear Sirs:

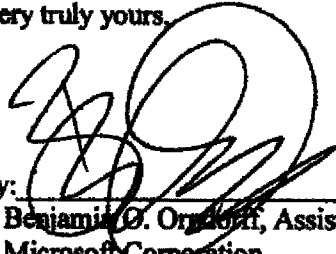
You are requested to publish, once a week for two consecutive weeks, commencing within ten days after your receipt of this letter, a notice in the following form:

**"NOTICE OF MERGER**

Notice is given that articles of merger, which will effect a merger by and between Stratature, Incorporated, a corporation incorporated in the State of Georgia, and Microsoft Corporation, a corporation incorporated in the State of Washington, has been delivered to the Secretary of State for filing in accordance with the Georgia Business Corporation Code. The name of the survivor in the merger is Microsoft Corporation, a corporation incorporated in the State of Washington. The registered office of such corporation will be located at 40 Technology Pkwy South, #300 and its registered agent at such address is the Corporation Service Company."

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$40 in payment of the cost of publishing this notice.

Very truly yours,

By:   
Benjamin O. Orndorff, Assistant Secretary  
Microsoft Corporation

Dated: March 17, 2010

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