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Case No.: 11336/2265 P11102US

## CLAIMING LETTER MEMORANDUM

Inventor:

Simon Schütz

Title:

DIGITAL MAP LANDMARKING SYSTEM

Re:

Patent Application Serial No. 13/426,376 - Filed on March 21, 2012.

To:

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

ICT Software Engineering GmbH, a German Company, having a place of business at Bahnhofplatz 8, 76137 Karlsruhe, Germany in accordance with the provisions of § 6 of the German Act On Employee Inventions, has perfected an unlimited claim to the invention of Simon Schütz, as described in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 13/426,376 (hereafter, the "Invention"). The unlimited claim to the Invention was perfected by the attached written declaration that was sent to Simon Schütz (hereafter, the "Inventor") on April 26, 2011.

Pursuant to German law, ICT Software Engineering GmbH has claimed without limitation the right, title, and interest in and to the Invention that was previously possessed by the Inventor. In addition, the unlimited claim to the Invention by ICT Software Engineering GmbH on April 26, 2011, claimed without limitation the right, title, and interest in and to the invention of the Inventor as is described in European patent application 11002356.1, filed March 22, 2011, from which the above-referenced patent application claims priority. Further, the unlimited claim to the Invention by ICT Software Engineering GmbH as of April 26, 2011, has claimed without limitation the right, title and interest in and to any and all counterpart foreign patent applications that claim priority from the above-referenced patent application EP 11 002 356.1 and any and all letters patent or patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefore and thereon, including the right to claim for any such application, all benefits and priority rights under any applicable convention. The unlimited claim in and to the Invention by ICT Software Engineering GmbH on April 26, 2011, also claimed without limitation the right, title and interest to any and all divisions and continuations of the abovereferenced patent application, or said counterpart foreign patent applications, or reissues or extensions of said letters patent or patents, including the right to claim for any such

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application, all benefits and priority rights under any applicable convention.

Respectfully submitted,

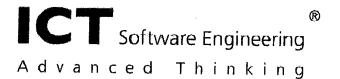
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Inanspruchnahme einer Erfindung

§§ 6, 7 Abs. 1 Gesetz über Arbeitnehmererfindungen

Claiming of an invention

§§ 6, 7 Para. 1 German Act on Employee Inventions

ICT Aktenzeichen/ ICT Docket Number: Harman Aktenzeichen/ Harman Docket Number: P11102 Titel der Erfindungsmeldung/Title of the Invention Disclosure: Landmark Icons Eingangsdatum/Date of receipt: 23 Feb 2011 Erfinder/Inventors: Carsten-Christian Spindler (Harman), Vladimir Ivanov (Harman), Martin Fischer (Harman), Simon Schütz (ICT)

Sehr geehrter Herr Schütz.

Dear Mr. Schütz:

Software Engineering GmbH über.

Ihre oben genannte Diensterfindung wird hiermit durch ICT. The above invention disclosure is hereby claimed by ICT Software Engineering GmbH in Anspruch genommen. Damit Software Engineering GmbH. Thus, all your rights, title, and gehen alle Ihre Rechte an der Diensterfindung auf ICT interest in and to this invention are assigned to ICT Software Engineering GmbH by action of law.

über Arbeitnehmererfindungen weisen wir vorsorglich Employee Inventions. nochmals hin.

Im Rahmen des Schutzrechtserteilungsverfahrens wird die The patentability of your invention will be determined during the Schutzfähigkeit der Erfindung geklärt. Über das Schutzrechts- grant proceedings before the respective patent office. We will erteilungsverfahren und dessen Fortgang werden wir Sie auf keep you informed about the progress of the grant proceedings. dem Laufenden halten. Auf die auch in Ihrem Interesse By way of precaution, we would like to draw your attention to the fortbestehende Geheimhaltungspflicht nach § 24 (2) Gesetz secrecy obligation according to § 24 (2) German Act on

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Yours sincerely

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