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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the undersigned, **Craig A. Spreha**, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 3259 Betty Circle, Decatur, Georgia 30032, (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Assignor") has invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in a non-provisional application for United States Patent entitled **AUTOMATING APPLICATION OF SOFTWARE PATCHES TO A SERVER HAVING A VIRTUALIZATION LAYER**, which application is about to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office and was executed as follows:

by **Craig A. Spreha** on May 2 2008; [date]

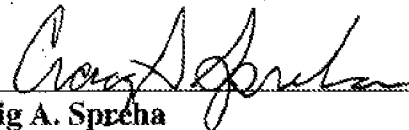
WHEREAS, it is agreed that **Southern Company Services, Inc.**, a Corporation of the State of Georgia, having its principal place of business at 241 Ralph McGill Blvd., NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30308 – 3374, is entitled to or is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest related to the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor, by these presents, does sell, assign and transfer unto **Southern Company Services, Inc.**, the full, exclusive and entire right, title and interest: (i) in and to all inventions and improvements disclosed and described in said application, (ii) in and to said application, (iii) in and to all divisional, continuation, and continuation-in-part applications describing in whole or in part the said inventions and improvements, preparatory to obtaining Patents of the United States therefor, (iv) in and to all patents of the United States which may be granted on the foregoing and all reissues and extensions thereof, (v) in and to any provisional patent applications filed in the United States describing in whole or in part the said inventions and improvements, from which priority has been or may be claimed under Title 35 of the United States Code, and (vi) in and to the right to claim any applicable foreign and domestic priority rights arising from any of the aforementioned patent applications; and Assignor does hereby request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Patents of the United States resulting from said application, or from a division, continuation, continuation-in-part, or reissue thereof, to **Southern Company Services, Inc.** as Assignee, for its interest and for the sole use and behoof of **Southern Company Services, Inc.** and its assigns and legal representatives;

FOR the same consideration, Assignor, by these presents does sell, assign and transfer to **Southern Company Services, Inc.** the full, exclusive and entire right, title and interest: in and to any and all applications for industrial property protection, including without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs, (the "Foreign

Applications") filed or which are hereafter filed in countries foreign to the United States and describing in whole or in part the said inventions and improvements, in and to any Patents and similar protective rights granted on said Foreign Applications, and in and to the right to file such applications and the right to claim any applicable priority rights arising from or required for said Foreign Applications under the terms of any applicable conventions, treaties, statutes, or regulations; said Foreign Applications to be filed and issued in the name of **Southern Company Services, Inc.** or its respective designees, insofar as permitted by applicable law;

AND, for the same consideration, Assignor agrees to communicate to the said **Southern Company Services, Inc.**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to Assignors respecting said invention, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reissue and other applications, make all assignments and rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid **Southern Company Services, Inc.**, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to obtain and enforce proper protection for all said inventions and improvements in all countries throughout the world.


Craig A. Spreha

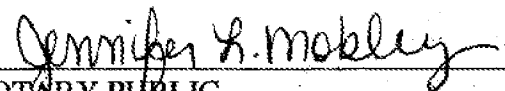
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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, on this 1 day of May, 2008, personally appeared Craig A. Spreha, known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Patent and Invention Assignment, who being duly sworn acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said Patent and Invention Assignment as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal.

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NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires: July 2, 2009
JENNIFER L. MOBLEY
Notary Public, Henry County, Georgia