

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	RELEASE BY SECURED PARTY		
CONVEYING PARTY DATA			
Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
U.S. Bank National Association, as Collateral Agent		01/15/2008	National Banking Association:
RECEIVING PARTY DATA			
Name:	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc.		
Street Address:	One Martha's Way		
City:	Hiawatha		
State/Country:	IOWA		
Postal Code:	52233		
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: IOWA		
PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1			
Property Type	Number	Word Mark	
Registration Number:	2647412	KNOWLEDGEPORTAL	
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Date:	01/16/2008		

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PARTIAL TERMINATION AND RELEASE
OF
TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

PARTIAL TERMINATION AND RELEASE OF TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT, dated as of this 15 day of January, 2008, by and between MCLEODUSA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC., an Iowa corporation (the "Lien Grantor"), and U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as collateral agent (in such capacity, the "Grantee").

WHEREAS, McLeodUSA Incorporated, a Delaware corporation (the "Company") and certain of the Company's Domestic Restricted Subsidiaries and the Grantee are parties to a Security and Pledge Agreement, dated as of September 28, 2006, as amended and supplemented by a Security Agreement Supplement, dated as of February 13, 2007, and a Trademark Security Agreement recorded with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 14, 2007, and pursuant to those collective Agreements, the Lien Grantor granted to the Grantee a security interest in and lien on its trademarks, trademark registrations, and associated goodwill;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Agreements between the Lien Grantor and the Grantee, the Grantee has a security interest and lien on the Lien Grantor's registered trademark KNOWLEDGEPORTAL, Reg. No. 2,647,412, registered with the United States Patent and Trademark Office as of November 5, 2002; and

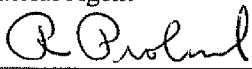
WHEREAS, the Grantee has agreed to terminate and release its security interest and all of its right, title and interest with respect to the registered trademark KNOWLEDGEPORTAL, Reg. No. 2,647,412, registered as of November 5, 2002, and any and all goodwill associated therewith;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledge, the Lien Grantor and the Grantee hereby agree as follows:

Release and Termination. The Grantee hereby terminates and releases its security interest in, and lien on, Lien Grantor's registered trademark KNOWLEDGEPORTAL, Reg. No. 2,647,412, registered as of November 5, 2002, and all of the Grantee's right, title and interest thereto, and the related trademark registration and any and all associated goodwill.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantee has caused this Partial Release to be executed by its officer thereunto duly authorized as of the date first written above.

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
as Collateral Agent

By: 

Richard Prokosch, Vice President