

APPENDIX E

EXCERPTS FROM PROSECUTION HISTORY OF

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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

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Please file the following enclosed patent application papers:

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Title: "Method and Apparatus for Enabling Real-Time Transactions on a Network"

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(x) Inventor's Declaration

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Very Respectfully,

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 Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS)
 FOR ENABLING REAL-TIME)
 TRANSACTIONS ON A)
 NETWORK)
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SUGGESTED RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT (SRR)

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Kindly accept this Suggested Restriction Requirement under 37 C.F.R.

§1.142(c) as amended by the rules going into effect Nov. 1, 2007.

The applicant respectfully suggests the following restriction:

Claim Group I - Claims 1- 17 drawn to a method for delivering complete wireless transactional services over the World Wide Web.

Claim Group II - Claims 18-24 drawn to an employee-accessible web service network portal .

Claim Group III – Claims 25-32 drawn to an exchange component of a web-based transactional service.

Claim Group IV – Claims 33-39 drawn to a multi-media network object routing service .

Claim Group V – Claims 40-46 drawn to a web service transaction system for allowing N-Way transactions.

Claim Group VI – Claims 47-52 drawn to a cooperative multiple merchant web service system.

Claim Group VII – Claims 53-59 drawn to a method for providing an enhanced value chain between web merchants.

Claim Group VIII – Claims 60-70 drawn to a value added network switch.

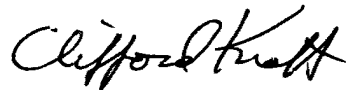
Claim Group IX – Claims 72-85 drawn to a method for performing a transaction over a digital network.

Claim Group X – Claims 86-92 drawn to a method for managing services on a network.

Claim Group XI – Claims 93-104 drawn to a method for configuring the context of a service on the World Wide Web.

Claim Group XII – Claims 105-110 drawn to distributed online service information bases.

Respectfully Submitted



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IDENTIFICATION OF OTHER APPLICATIONS

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This is an identification of other applications with an inventor in common and a claimed filing or priority date within two months of the claimed filing or priority date of this application as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.78(f)(1).

IDENTIFICATION

This application has a common inventor Lakshmi Arunachalam and a common priority date of Nov. 13, 1995 with the following applications:

08/700,726 now patent no. 5,778,178

08/879,958 now patent no. 5,987,500

09/296,207 now patent no. 6,212,556

09/792,323 co-pending (Notice of allowance issued)

09/863,704 co-pending

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