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Name NeXT Software, Inc.

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Name Apple Computer, Inc.

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Composed of \_\_\_\_\_

Address (line 1) 1 Infinite Loop

Address (line 2) \_\_\_\_\_

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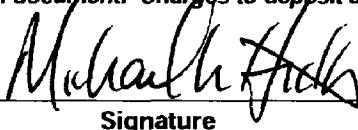
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## ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK

**AGREEMENT**, entered into this 1st day of October, 1998, by and between NeXT Software, Inc., a corporation of the state of California, having its principal place of business at One Infinite Loop, Cupertino, California 95014 (hereinafter "NeXT"); and Apple Computer, Inc., a corporation of the state of California, having its principal place of business at One Infinite Loop, Cupertino, California 95014 (hereinafter "Apple").

**WHEREAS**, NeXT now desires to assign to Apple any and all of NeXT's right, title, and interest, in and to the trademark WEBOBJECTS, including Registration Number 2,080,608 and all common law rights therein, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademark;

**WHEREAS**, Apple is desirous of acquiring all right, title, and interest, in and to said trademark, including all common law and statutory rights therein, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademark;

**NOW THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said Assignor does hereby assign unto the said Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the said trademark, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the trademark and the above identified registration.

Executed and agreed to as of the date set forth above.

NEXT, INC.  
"NeXT" Software, Inc.

By: 

Fred Anderson  
President and CFO

APPLE COMPUTER, INC.  
"Apple"

By: 

Nancy R. Heinen  
Senior Vice President, Secretary  
And General Counsel

STATE OF CALIFORNIA }  
COUNTY OF Santa Clara } ss.

On this 1st day of October 1998 before me, Marcia M. Stubendorff, a Notary Public, personally appeared

Nancy R. Heinen,  (personally known to me) or  (proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signatures(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Marcia M. Stubendorff  
Signature of Notary Public



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On this 1st day of October 1998 before me, Marcia M. Stubendorff, a Notary Public, personally appeared

Fred Anderson,  (personally known to me) or  (proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signatures(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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