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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Patent and Trademark Office

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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks. Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

JEFFREY H. MIMS as Trustee in Bankruptcy for
DURACOM COMPUTER SYSTEMS, INC.

9-18-00

- Individual(s) USA citizen Association _____
- General Partnership Limited Partnership
- Corporation - State of _____
- Other _____

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: MARKETING INVESTORS CORPORATION

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 1555 Regal Row

City: Dallas State Texas ZIP: 75247

- Individual(s) citizenship _____
- Association _____
- General Partnership _____
- Limited Partnership _____
- Corporation-State Delaware
- Other _____

If assignee is not domiciled in the United States, a domestic representative designation is attached:
 Yes No
(Designation must be a separate document from Assignment)
Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment Merger
- Security Agreement Change of Name
- Other _____

Execution Date: August 29, 2000

4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):

A. Trademark Application No.(s)

B. Trademark registration No.(s)

1,830,231

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Russell N. Rippamonti
Jenkins & Gilchrist, P.C.

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: 1445 Ross Avenue, Ste. 3200

City: Dallas State: Texas Zip: 75202-2799

6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: 1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40.00

- Enclosed
- Authorized to be charged to deposit account.

(If check is not received with this correspondence or additional fees are required, please charge to deposit account 10-0447.)

8. Deposit Account number: _____

(Attach duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)

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9. Statement and signature.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Russell N. Rippamonti
Name of Person Signing

Russell Rippamonti
Signature

September 11, 2000
Date

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EXHIBIT A

ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK REGISTRATION

WHEREAS, Duracom Computer Systems, Inc., a Texas Corporation, (formerly Meridian Computer Corporation, Inc.), adopted and used the mark DURACOM (the "Trademark"), which is registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Registration No. 1,830,231, issued April 12, 1994.

WHEREAS, on MARCH 31, 2000, Jeffrey H. Mims was appointed Trustee in Bankruptcy for Duracom Computer Systems, Inc. ("Trustee"), and has succeeded to all right, title and interest to the assets thereof.

WHEREAS, Marketing Investors Corporation, ("Assignee"), a Delaware corporation, having a principal place of business at 1555 Regal Row, Dallas, Texas 75247, and who, together with its successors and assigns, is desirous of acquiring all right, title and interest in the aforementioned Trademark and Trademark registration and the goodwill associated therewith.

WHEREAS, Trustee has neither abandoned nor intended to abandon the Trademark.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration furnished by the Assignee to the Trustee, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

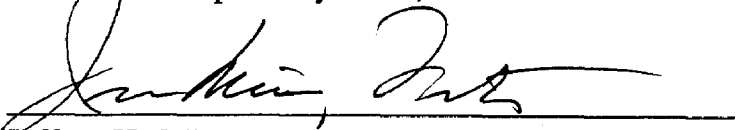
1. Trustee, hereby without reservation, assigns, transfers and conveys to the Assignee his entire right, title and interest in and to the Trademark, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the mark and the United States Trademark Registration No. 1,830,231.
2. Trustee, hereby without reservation, represents that it has neither abandoned nor intended to abandon the Trademark.
3. Trustee, hereby without reservation, authorizes Assignee to record this Assignment in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its name or otherwise as it may deem advisable.
4. Trustee, hereby without reservation, authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America to issue or transfer said Trademark to Assignee as assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein or otherwise as Assignee may direct.
5. Assignee hereby grants the Trustee a license to use the Trademark and trade name, DURACOM and referenced in the first paragraph above, for use by the Trustee in connection with the liquidation of Duracom Computer Systems, Inc. and for no other purpose. Said license shall not be transferable and shall terminate upon the final liquidation of Duracom Computer Systems, Inc.

6. Trustee will provide such assistance as is necessary and appropriate for Assignee to retain rights in Registration No. 1,830,231.

7. This Assignment may be signed in multiple counterparts and each copy shall be considered an original for all purposes. A telecopy or facsimile transmission of a signed counterpart of this Assignment shall be sufficient to bind the party or parties whose signature(s) appear(s) thereon.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have caused this Assignment to be duly executed this 29th day of August, 2000.

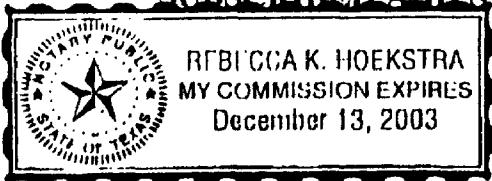
Jeffrey H. Mims as Trustee in Bankruptcy for
DuraCom Computer Systems, Inc.

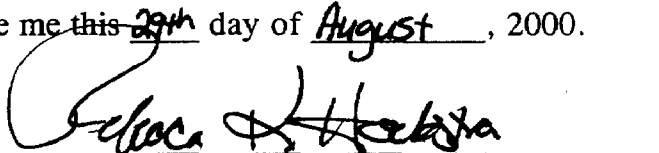

Jeffrey H. Mims

STATE OF TEXAS §
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COUNTY OF DALLAS §

Jeffrey H. Mims, Trustee in Bankruptcy of DuraCom Computer Systems, Inc., personally appeared before me, and being first duly sworn declared that he signed the assignment in the capacity designated, and further states that he has read the above assignment, and the statements therein contained are true.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 29th day of August, 2000.



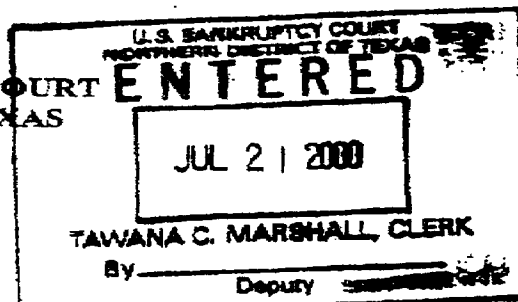

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

My Commission Expires:
Dec. 13, 2003

Rebecca K. Hoekstra
Printed Name

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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION



IN RE:
DURACOM COMPUTER SYSTEMS, INC.
DEBTOR.

Case No. 99-39259-RCM-7

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ORDER APPROVING SALE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

On this day came before the Court to be heard the Motion for Authority to Sell Intellectual Property filed on June 30, 2000, by Jeffrey H. Mims, the Chapter 7 Trustee in this case. The Court finding that appropriate notice has been given to creditors and parties in interest and that no objection has been raised is of the opinion that the sale should be approved as requested. It is therefore

ORDERED that the Trustee be and is hereby authorized to transfer all the estate's rights in and to the name DURACOM including the federal trademark registration #1830231 to Marketing Investors Corporation and/or its assigns free and clear of any and all liens and encumbrances; and it is

ORDERED that the Trustee is authorized to execute such documents as may be reasonably necessary to effectuate this transfer.

SIGNED this 20th day of July, 2000.


UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

Order prepared by:
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