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ASSIGNMENT OF TRADEMARK APPLICATION

WHEREAS, CEBRA INC., a Canadian corporation with its principal place of business at First Canadian Place, P.O. Box 1, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M5X 1A1 (“Assignor”), owns and has a *bona fide* intent to use the MERX mark (the “Mark”) in connection with the following goods/services:

“computer programs and databases pertaining to procurement, buying, selling and tendering information and opportunities” in International Class 9;

“publications, namely, books, newspapers, periodicals, magazines, pamphlets and manuals pertaining to procurement, buying, selling and tendering information and opportunities” in International Class 16;

“consulting and business brokerage services pertaining to procurement, buying, selling and tendering information and opportunities” in International Class 35;

“telecommunications and interactive electronic communications services providing information and other data via computer, computer networks, computer disk and tape, compact disk, telephone, the Internet, electronic mail and other electronic media pertaining to procurement, buying, selling and tendering information and opportunities” in International Class 38; and

“development, operation and management of one or more computer networks, telecommunication networks, Internet sites and computer databases pertaining to procurement buying, selling and tendering information and opportunities” in International Class 42.

WHEREAS, Assignor has applied to register the Mark on the Principal Register of the United States Patent and Trademark Office based on Assignor’s *bona fide* intent to use the Mark in commerce in connection with the above-referenced goods/services, Appl. Ser. No. 75/275,363, filed on April 15, 1997 (the “Application”);

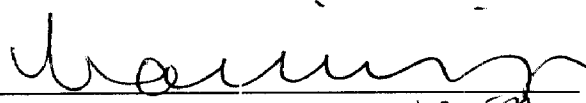
WHEREAS, Assignor is desirous of selling, assigning and transferring all of its right, title and interest in and to the Mark, the Application and that portion of Assignor's business in connection with which it has a *bona fide* intent to use the Mark;


WHEREAS, BANK OF MONTREAL, a Canadian corporation with a principal place of business located at 1 First Canadian Place, 21st Floor, Toronto, Ontario, M5X 1A1 ("Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring all of Assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Mark, the Application and that portion of Assignor's business in connection with which Assignor has a *bona fide* intent to use the Mark;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer, convey and set over to Assignee, its successors and assigns, all of its right, title and interest in and to the Mark, the Application and that portion of Assignor's business in connection with which it has a *bona fide* intent to use the Mark.


CEBRA INC., Assignor

Dated as of November 1, 2001

By: 
Name: MARVIE J. KINSLER
Title: President & CEO

By: 
Name: Sharan Sandhu
Title: Assistant Secretary

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before me this 5th day
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