

TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	MERGER
EFFECTIVE DATE:	10/01/2003

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Best Software of California, Inc.		10/01/2003	CORPORATION: CALIFORNIA

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	BEST SOFTWARE, INC.
Street Address:	56 Technology Drive
City:	Irvine
State/Country:	CALIFORNIA
Postal Code:	92618
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: VIRGINIA

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 1

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	1945748	MIP

CORRESPONDENCE DATA

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ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:	MIP/POST REG 2
NAME OF SUBMITTER:	Chanette Armstrong
Signature:	/chanette armstrong/

Date:

01/26/2009

Total Attachments: 3

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**COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION**

October 1, 2003

The State Corporation Commission finds the accompanying articles submitted on behalf of

BEST SOFTWARE, INC.

to comply with the requirements of law. Therefore, it is ORDERED that this

CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

be issued and admitted to record with the articles in the office of the Clerk of the Commission.
Each of the following:

Best Software of California, Inc.

is merged into BEST SOFTWARE, INC., which continues to exist under the laws of VIRGINIA with the name BEST SOFTWARE, INC.. The existence of each non-surviving entity ceases, according to the plan of merger.

The certificate is effective on October 1, 2003.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

By



Commissioner

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Articles of Merger
of
Best Software, Inc.
and
Best Software of California, Inc.

Best Software, Inc., a Virginia corporation (“**Best**” or the “**Surviving Corporation**”) and Best Software of California, Inc., a California corporation (the “**Disappearing Corporation**”), pursuant to Title 13.1, Chapter 9, Article 12 of the Code of Virginia, hereby execute the following Articles of Merger (these “**Articles**”) and set forth:

A. Plan of Merger:

1. Merger. The effective date of the Merger (defined below) shall be October 1, 2003 (the “**Effective Date**”). On the Effective Date, the Disappearing Corporation shall be merged with and into Best and the separate existence of the Disappearing Corporation shall thereupon cease (the “**Merger**”). Best shall continue its corporate existence in the State of Virginia as the surviving corporation after the Effective Date.
2. Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws. The Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of Best, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Date, shall continue to be the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Surviving Corporation without change or amendment until duly amended in accordance with the provisions thereof and applicable law.
3. Conversion of Shares. Upon the Effective Date, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of any holder thereof, each share and each certificate representing shares of the capital stock of the Disappearing Corporation outstanding immediately prior thereto shall automatically be cancelled without consideration, and no shares of the Surviving Corporation shall be issued in exchange therefore. The outstanding shares of the Surviving Corporation shall remain outstanding and shall not be affected by the Merger.
4. Officers and Directors. Upon the Effective Date, by virtue of the Merger and without any additional action being taken, the officers of the Surviving Corporation shall be the officers of the Disappearing Corporation immediately prior to the Merger and the directors of the Surviving Corporation shall be the directors of the Disappearing Corporation immediately prior to the Merger.
5. Subsequent Action. If, at any time after the Effective Date, it shall be necessary or desirable to take any action or execute, deliver or file any instrument or document in order to vest, perfect or confirm of record in the Surviving Corporation the title to any property or any right of the Disappearing Corporation, or otherwise to carry out the provisions of these Articles, the directors and officers of the Surviving Corporation are hereby authorized and empowered on behalf of the Disappearing Corporation and in its name to take such action and execute, deliver and file such instruments and documents.

6. Rights and Duties of Surviving Corporation. On the Effective Date, the Surviving Corporation shall thereupon and thereafter possess all rights, privileges, immunities, licenses, and permits (whether of a public or private nature) of the Disappearing Corporation; and all property (real, personal, and mixed), all debts due on whatever account, all choses in action, and all and every other interest of or belonging to or due to the Disappearing Corporation shall continue and be taken and deemed to be transferred to and vested in the Surviving Corporation, without further act or deed; and the Surviving Corporation shall thenceforth be responsible and liable for all the liabilities and obligations of the Disappearing Corporation.
7. Termination. At any time prior to the Effective Date, these Articles may be terminated and the Merger abandoned at the election of the Boards of Directors of the Surviving Corporation or the Disappearing Corporation.
8. Laws of California. The Merger is permitted by the laws of California, under whose law the Disappearing Corporation is incorporated, and the Disappearing Corporation has complied with that law in effecting the Merger.

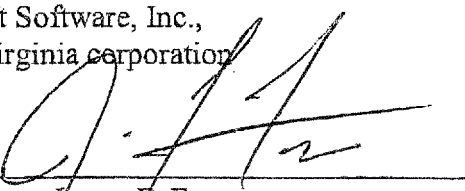
B. Shareholder Approval:

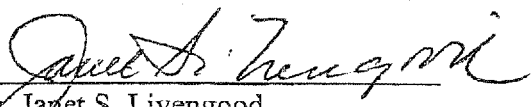
1. Adoption by the Sole Shareholder of Best. The Plan of Merger was adopted by the written consent of the sole shareholder of Best.
2. Adoption by the Sole Shareholder of the Disappearing Corporation. The Plan of Merger was adopted by the written consent of the sole shareholder of the Disappearing Corporation.

The undersigned declare that the facts herein stated are true as of September 8, 2003.

Surviving Corporation

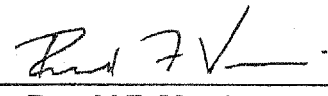
Best Software, Inc.,
a Virginia corporation

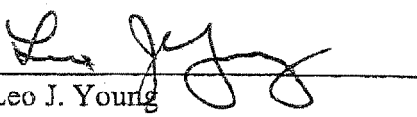
By: 
Name: James F. Foster
Title: President

By: 
Name: Janet S. Livengood
Title: Secretary

Disappearing Corporation

Best Software of California, Inc.,
a California corporation

By: 
Name: Ronald F. Verni
Title: President

By: 
Name: Leo J. Young
Title: Secretary