

INTERNET ENGINEERING TASK FORCE

Copyright Assignment with Reservation of Rights

Assignor: _____

Address: _____

Title of Work: _____ (copy attached as Exhibit A) and all prior versions

1. The above-named Assignor, for good and valuable consideration the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby irrevocably and unconditionally transfers, conveys and assigns to the IETF Trust, a Virginia trust ("Assignee"), all right, title and interest in and to the above-named Work in perpetuity, including, without limitation, copyright ownership, subject only to the express retention of rights described in paragraph 4 below. Assignor agrees to sign any further assignments, acknowledgements, instruments and certifications reasonably requested by Assignee to effectuate the above assignment.

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Agreed and Acknowledged as of this ___ day of ___:

ASSIGNOR:

ASSIGNEE: IETF TRUST

Name:
Title:

Ray Pelletier, IETF Administrative Director