IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

MENTOR GRAPHICS CORP., an	§	
Oregon corporation,	§	No. 466, 2003
	§	
Defendant Below,	§	
Appellant,	§	
	§	
V.	§	Court Below: Court of Chancery
	§	of the State of Delaware
TERA SYSTEMS, INC., a	§	in and for New Castle County
Delaware corporation,	§	C.A. No. 20300
	§	
Plaintiff Below,	§	
Appellee.	§	

Submitted: February 24, 2004 Decided: March 8, 2004

Before HOLLAND, BERGER and STEELE, Justices.

<u>O R D E R</u>

This 8th day of March, 2004, the Court, having considered this matter on the arguments and briefs of the parties, and having concluded that the same should be affirmed on the basis of and for the reasons assigned by the Court of Chancery in its order dated August 21, 2003,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the judgment of the Court of Chancery be, and the same hereby is

AFFIRMED.

BY THE COURT:

<u>/s/ Carolyn Berger</u> Justice