This is a continuing problem where I need your assistance in
resolving. At the very least, the AM should acknowledge the
requests that are being made. Ideally, the AM should be working
with their OEM contacts and should be proactive in providing
timely feedback as to the resolution. Worst case, if the AM
is on the road or unavailable, provide a contact at the OEM
so I can follow-up.

The Win3 intro was successful, in part, due to the HCT program
that the win/dos team put in place. To make DOS 5 even more
successful, then I really need your help in convincing the AM's
to be responsive to the requests that are being made.

thx

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From tomle Tue Sep 25 12:24:18 1990
To: bradsi davidcol philba richab
Subject: Re: HIMEM.SYS
Date: Tue Sep 25 12:22:09 1990

    Simple selfishness. The early driver didn't take much of an investment
    to build so we gave it away as a sample. It was everywhere. Since then
    we have devoted significant resources to enhancing it.

        Super A20 Support
        Int15 compatibility extensions
        Ability to load high with Dos 5

    We're feeling like it's getting to good to just give away.

Tom

| >From bradsi Tue Sep 25 12:14:44 1990
| To: davidcol philba richab tomle
| Subject: Re: HIMEM.SYS
| Date: Tue Sep 25 12:15:01 1990
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| I see no reason not to license it. Do you?
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| | >From bobt Wed Sep 19 18:52:37 1990
| | To: bradsi
| | Cc: cameronm markche sherryr
| | Subject: HIMEM.SYS
| | Date: Wed Sep 19 18:49:40 1990
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| | Brad, we've been approached by a small, albeit growing number of
| | ISVs that would like to bundle HIMEM.SYS with their applications.
| | These ISVs include SPC, Symmantec, Microrim and ADP.
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| | I'm of the opinion that we need to allow them to ship this with

|| their application because we've done it with Excel.
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|| Secondly, I still do not understand any compelling reason to
|| prevent us from allowing ISVs to ship this, i.e. are there problems with
|| versioning, possible DOS 5 interactions, etc.
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|| Finally, at one time source code to an older version of HIMEM was
|| actually floating around on Compuserve!
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|| To our ISVs, it appears that we indeed are giving preferential treatment
|| to our own apps group, and in this case, I see no reason for us to not
|| level the playing field and give them rights to distribute HIMEM with
|| their apps.
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|| What are your thoughts?
||
|| -bob
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From philba Tue Sep 25 12:40:31 1990
To: bradsi
Subject: Re: Radius and color
Date: Tue Sep 25 12:37:54 1990

yes, I know about the visit -- ron gery is attending the meeting.

|>From bradsi Tue Sep 25 12:06:33 1990
| To: philba
| Subject: Radius and color
| Date: Tue Sep 25 12:07:57 1990
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| More demand for big screen, high res support.
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|| >From jeffr Wed Sep 19 18:26:56 1990
|| To: bradsi davidcol
|| Subject: Radius and color
|| Date: Wed Sep 19 18:26:56 1990
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|| Greg Millar, development manager of Radius, will be here tomorrow
|| meeting with some Windows people. (McCaffrey?) Radius is the leading
|| vendor of big Mac monitors, and now they sell big PC monitors. (I use
|| their 21", 1280x860 resolution monitor with Win 3.)
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|| Greg was asking about Windows support of 24 bit color and who he
|| should talk to about that. Who is the best person to explain the
|| technical details?
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|| (I know Greg through Infa, the defunct company from which we purchased
|| the handwriting recognition software to start up Win-H. He calls me