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WHEREAS, **Anil Nigam of 21451 Continental Circle, Saratoga, California, 95014, and James W. White, 152 Milmar Way, Los Gatos, California, 95032**, hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," are the inventors of the invention described and set forth in the below identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of the Invention: **METAL FOIL DISK FOR HIGH AREAL DENSITY RECORDING IN ENVIRONMENTS OF HIGH MECHANICAL SHOCK**

Filing date January 15, 1998 Application No.: 09/007,452; and

WHEREAS, **Flextor, Inc.** a California corporation, located at 1340 DeAnza Boulevard, Suite 103, San Jose, California, 95129, hereinafter referred to as "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same;

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignors, Assignors have assigned, and by these presents do assign to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the invention and application and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and in and to any Letters Patent and Registrations which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world, and to claim the priority from the application as provided by the Paris Convention. The right, title and interest is to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee's successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors had this assignment not been made, for the full term of any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignors have signed their names on the dates indicated.

Date: May 1, 1998

Anil Nigam
Anil Nigam

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authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, execute the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature _____ (Seal)

Date: 5-12-98

James W. White
James W. White

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On _____, before me, _____, personally appeared **James W. White**, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, execute the instrument.

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