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We, the undersigned (each) have agreed and hereby agree to assign to HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY, a Delaware corporation, having its principal place of business in Palo Alto, California,

(hereinafter HP) in furtherance of our obligations to HP, and do hereby assign and transfer to HP, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest, including the right of priority, in, to and under an
application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled:
DATA STORAGE MODULE AND ENCLOSURE SYSTEM
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and the invention(s) and improvements(s) set forth therein, and any and all continuations, continuations-in-parts (C-l-P's), divisionals and renewals of and substitutes for said application for said Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and of countries foreign thereto which may be granted thereon or therefor; and any reissues, or reexaminations, or extensions of said Letters Patent.
We additionally authorize HP to file applications in our name for Letters Patent in any country, to be held and enjoyed by HP, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent respectively may be granted, reissued or extended, as fully as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me/us had this assignment, and transfer not been made;
AND we hereby covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not been executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and we further covenant and agree that we will, each time a request is made, and without undue delay, execute and deliver all such papers as may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said invention(s) or improvement(s), said application and said Letters Patent, to HP, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, and we agree to communicate to HP, or to its nominee, all known facts respecting said invention(s) or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent, to testify in any legal proceeds, to sign all lawful papers, to execute all disclaimers and divisionals, continuations, C-I-P's, reissue and foreign applications, to make all rightful oaths and declarations, and generally to do everything possible to aid HP, its successors, assigns, nominees and legal representatives to obtain and enforce, for its and their own benefit, proper patent protection for said invention(s) or improvement(s) in any and all countries provided the expenses which maybe incurred by me/us in lending such cooperation and assistance are paid by HP;
AND we further hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue to HP, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest, any and all Letters Patent for said invention(s) or improvement(s), including any and all Letters Patent of the United States which maybe issued and granted on or as a result of the application aforesaid, in accordance with the terms of this assignment.
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