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SEA8677 00 To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof. Name of conveying party(ies): Name and address of receiving party(ies): Seagate Technology, Inc. Seagate Technology LLC 920 Disc Drive 920 Disc Drive Scotts Valley, CA 95066 Scotts Valley, CA 95066 Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?

Yes
No Nature of conveyance: Assignment Merger Security Agreement Change of Name Other: Execution Date: June 28, 2000 4. Application number(s) or patent number(s): If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: A. Patent Application No.(s) B. Patent No.(s) 1,71 09/226,886 Additional numbers attached?
Yes
No 6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: \$40.00 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): Leland Schultz Name: Seagate Technology LLC Address: Authorized to be charged to deposit account Intellectual Property, NRE350 7801 Computer Avenue South Please charge any additional fees or credit any Bloomington, MN 55435-5489 overpayments to our Deposit account number: 19-1038 DO NOT USE THIS SPACE Statement and signature: To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. June 28, 2000 Shawn B. Dempster Signature Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments, and document: 2 Name of Person Signing Do not detach this portion sheet information to: Mail documents to be recorded with required cover Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks **Box Assignments** 08/03/2000 DNGUYEN 00000352 191038 09226886 Washington, D.C. 20231 40.00 CH 01 FC:581

For: U.S. Rights and Foreign Rights

For: U.S. Application By: Present Owner

ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, effective July 1, 2000

ASSIGNOR: Seagate Technology, Inc.

920 Disc Drive

Scotts Valley, CA 95066

State or Country of Formation: Delaware

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hereby sells, assigns and transfers to

ASSIGNEE: Seagate Technology LLC

920 Disc Drive

Scotts Valley, CA 95066

Nationality or State/Country of Formation: Delaware

and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention and which is found in U.S. application no. 09/226,886 filed on January 7, 1999 and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue or re-examination thereof.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment.

ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this assignment.

June 28, 2000

 $Seagate\ Technology, Inc.$

Nigel C. Macleod Senior Vice President

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