



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

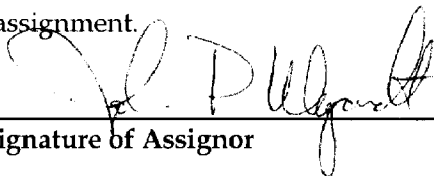
and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention and which is found in U.S. application no. 09/021,230 filed on February 10, 1998 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

  
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Signature of Assignor

Seagate Technology, Inc.  
John P. Weyandt  
Senior Vice President