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WHEREAS, I, Philippe Vaillant, (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), having a post office address of 47 Rue Thiers 38000 Grenoble, France, am the sole inventor of an invention entitled EXTRACTION DEVICE AND METHOD FOR A DISC DRIVE for Letters Patent of the United States, the application having been executed on even date herewith, and/or being identifiable in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Application No. 09/539,597, filed March 31, 2000; and


WHEREAS, Seagate Technology LLC, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having offices at 920 Disc Drive, Scotts Valley, California, 95066, ("Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the application, and any and all Letters Patent or similar legal protection, foreign or domestic, to be obtained therefor;

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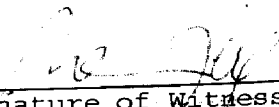
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