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WHEREAS, I/we Donald W. Janz of 11809 Woodbridge Road, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73162 am the inventor(s) of an invention entitled LOAD BALANCING CIRCUIT FOR A DUAL POLARITY POWER SUPPLY WITH SINGLE POLARITY VOLTAGE REGULATION that is the subject matter of: (check all that apply)

- a provisional application for Letters Patent which is identifiable in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Application No. 60/249,960 filed on November 20, 2000;
- an application for Letters Patent which is identifiable in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Application No. filed on herewith; and
- an international application for Letters Patent filed pursuant to the Patent Cooperation Treaty which is identifiable in the United States Receiving Office by Application No. and filed on; and

WHEREAS, Seagate Technology LLC, a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and the United States of America, and having offices at 920 Disc Drive, Scotts Valley, California, 95066 USA, ("Assignee") is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the applications, and any and all Letters Patent or similar foreign or domestic legal protection;

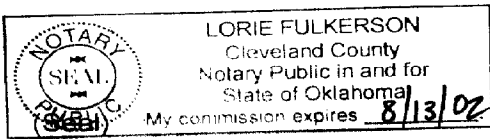
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Subscribed and sworn to before me at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, a Notary Public, this 12th day of July, 2001.



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