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Whereas, we and State of County of <u>Arizona</u> and Karl A. Nielsen **Tucson** <u>Pima</u> of County of and State of and Colleen R. Stouffer Austin Travis Texas of County of and State of United Kingdom Matthew J. Fairhurst of Winchester Hampshire and **Hampshire** United Kingdom Lee J. Sanders County of and State of of Havant have invented certain improvements in HOST-INITIATED DATA RECONSTRUCTION FOR IMPROVED RAID READ OPERATIONS and executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefor on (2) Nov. 17, 2003 (3) Whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504 (hereinafter called IBM), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patent to be obtained therefor; Now therefore, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I, the above named, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to IBM, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and foreign countries, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and I request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the inventions set forth in said application to IBM, its successors and assigns; and I hereby agree that IBM may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and I will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by IBM. at Karl A. Nielsen on at on at Matthew J. Fairhurst on

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