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## **ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATIONS**

Whereas, Yiu-Keung Ng (also known as Ken Ng and referred to herein as the “Inventor”), has invented certain new and useful improvements (herein referred to as “Inventions”) which have been covered by the following U.S. patent applications, the identities of which are listed below:

Application No. 09/774,233 filed January 31, 2001 and entitled  
“PERIPHERAL BUS JUMPER BLOCK FOR A  
CONFIGURABLE PERIPHERAL BUS INTERCONNECT  
SYSTEM;”

Application No. 10/040,424 filed January 9, 2002 and entitled  
“PERIPHERAL BUS SWITCH TO MAINTAIN CONTINUOUS  
PERIPHERAL BUS INTERCONNECT SYSTEM  
OEPRATION;” and

Application No. 09/972,301 filed October 9, 2001 and entitled  
“SYSTEM FOR INTERCONNECTING PERIPHERAL HOST  
COMPUTER AND DATA STORAGE EQUIPMENT HAVING A  
SIGNAL REPEATER MEANS.”

Whereas StorCase Technology, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having a principal place of business at 17600 Newhope Street, Fountain Valley, California 92708 (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee") wishes to acquire all of the Inventor's right, title and interest in and to said Inventions and the patent applications therefor;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, said Inventor has sold, assigned, and transferred and by these presents does sell, assign, and transfer unto Assignee and to its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the Inventor's entire right, title and interest in and to said Inventions and in and to said patent applications as well as any continuations, divisions, reissues, and reexamination certificates thereof for the territory of the United States of America and for all foreign countries, said Inventions and patent applications to be held and enjoyed by the Assignee for its own use and enjoyment of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which U.S. Letters Patents on the same will be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the Inventor had this Assignment and sale not been made.

Said Inventor hereby covenants that he has the full right to convey the interest herein assigned, and that he has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.


Said Inventor further covenants and agrees that he will communicate to the Assignee and its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to him respecting said Invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all applications, make all rightful oaths, and,

at no expense to himself, do everything reasonable to aid the Assignee and its successors, legal representatives and assigns to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said Inventions in all countries.

Said Inventor acknowledges that these Inventions are not the subject of any employment agreement as defined under the provisions of Section 2870 of the California Labor Code, which states that:

Any provision in an employment agreement which provides that an employee shall assign, or offer to assign, any of his or her rights in an invention to his or her employer shall not apply to an invention that the employee developed entirely on his or her own time without using the employer's equipment, supplies, facilities, or trade secret information except for those inventions that either:

1. Relate at the time of conception or reduction to practice of the invention to the employer's business, or actual or demonstrably anticipated research or development of the employer.
2. Result from any work performed by the employee for the employer.

  
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Yiu-Keung (Ken) Ng – Inventor

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