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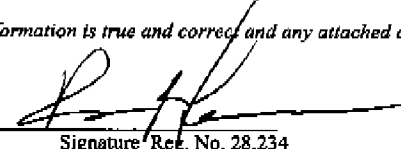
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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: JOSEPH S. TRIPOLI Internal Address: PATENT OPERATIONS-GE AND RCA LICENSING MANAGEMENT OPERATION, INC. Street Address: CN 5312 City: PRINCETON State: NEW JERSEY Zip :08543-0028	6. Total number of applications and patents involved: <u>1</u> 7. Total Fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40.00 Enclosed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authorized to be charged to deposit account 8. Deposit account number: 07-0832

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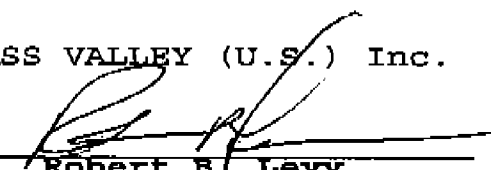
WHEREAS, GRASS VALLEY (U.S.) Inc., a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, USA, having offices at 400 Providence Mine Road, Nevada City, California 95959 USA, and THOMSON Licensing S.A. (TLISA), a French corporation having offices at 46, quai Alphonse Le Gallo, 92648 Boulogne Cedex, France, entered into an agreement calling for the assignment of certain inventions, to TLISA;

NOW THEREFORE, GRASS VALLEY (U.S.) Inc., in consideration of the mutual covenants of said agreement, does hereby assign to TLISA, its successors and assigns, GRASS VALLEY (U.S.) Inc.'s entire right, title and interest, for all countries and states, in and to, and including any right to claim priority of

Patent Application No.
Based on US 60-392,779 filed July 1, 2002/ and
PCT-US03-17608 filed June 4, 2003
Title: HETEROGENEOUS DISK STORAGE MANAGEMENT TECHNIQUE
(PU020329)

GRASS VALLEY (U.S.) Inc.

Date: 1/26/ 2005

BY: 
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Thomson Licensing Inc.
And Attorney in Fact for
GRASS VALLEY (U.S.) Inc.

NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE

State of New Jersey :ss
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I do hereby certify that GRASS VALLEY (U.S.) Inc., having offices at 400 Providence Mine Road, Nevada City, California 95959 USA, mentioned in the foregoing Assignment, is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, USA, and that Robert B. Levy, who signed the foregoing Assignment, is fully authorized to execute the document on behalf of GRASS VALLEY (U.S.) Inc. for this purpose.

Signed and sealed the 26th day of January 2005.


Notary Public

After this Assignment has been recorded please RETURN to:
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