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For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, VERITAS Software Corporation, of 350 Ellis Street, Mountain View, California 94043, having acquired by a prior assignment effective as of July 29, 2002, the entire right, title and interest in an invention entitled:

## DYNAMIC DISCOVERY OF ATTRIBUTES OF STORAGE DEVICES AND DEVICE DRIVER CONFIGURATION

for which Siddhartha Nandi et al. filed a United States patent application on July 30, 2002, and which application now has Serial No. 10/208,763, and having acquired the entire right, title and interest in all patent applications and patents of every country for said invention, including divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said applications; and having acquired the right to apply for patents of foreign countries for said invention, and to claim all rights of priority without further authorization from Siddhartha Nandi et al.;

Now, in view of the above premises and effective upon execution of this document VERITAS Software Corporation hereby sells, assigns and transfers to VERITAS Operating Corporation, a Delaware corporation, having a place of business at 350 Ellis Street, Mountain View, California 94043, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in said invention entitled:

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