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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, HIEU VAN TRAN and HUNG QUOC NGUYEN made certain inventions or discoveries (or both) set forth in an Application for Letters Patent of the United States of America entitled

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SYSTEMATIC AND RANDOM VARIATION  
AND MISMATCH COMPENSATION FOR MULTILEVEL  
FLASH MEMORY OPERATION**

issued as U.S Patent No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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 filed herewith

WHEREAS, SILICON STORAGE TECHNOLOGY, INC., a corporation of the State of California and whose address is 1171 Sonora Court, Sunnyvale, CA 94086, and who, together with its successors and assigns is hereinafter called "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest together with the benefits and privileges hereinafter recited;

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to me, receipt and sufficiency of which I hereby acknowledge, effective as of the date signed, I hereby, without reservation;

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF:

Hung Quoc Nguyen  
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Date

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) ss.

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On Sept. 21, 2005 before me, Lesly A. Mata, Notary Public, personally appeared Hung Quoc Nguyen, personally known or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his authorized capacity and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal.

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Notary Public

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