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Whereas, we

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have invented certain improvements in:

DECRYPTION OF DATA IN STORAGE SYSTEMS

and executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefore on:

(1) 4/14, 2006 and (2) 4/14, 2006

Whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM CORPORATION), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefore;

Now therefore, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I, the above named, hereby sell, assign, and transfer to IBM CORPORATION, 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 invention set forth in said application to IBM CORPORATION, its successors and assigns; and I hereby agree that IBM CORPORATION 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 CORPORATION.

Signed and sealed

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