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Whereas, we,

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have invented certain improvements in

METHOD, COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT, AND SYSTEM FOR LIMITING ACCESS BY A FAILED NODE

and executed, respectively, a United States patent application therefore on
(Dates Inventors Signed Declaration)

(1) September 27th, 2006 and (2) September 27, 2006.

Whereas, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM), 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:

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(1) signed at Poughkeepsie on September 27th, 2006.

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