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ASSIGNMENT

We, SCOTT HOPWOOD, of 38 Mona Vale Road, Pymble NSW, 2073 Australia, and  
28/29 East Crescent Street  
MARK GREENWOOD, of McMahons Point, NSW 2060, Australia, have invented the  
inventions described in a United States Application Serial No. 11/743,029, entitled  
PRE-EMPTIVE APPLICATION BLOCKING FOR UPDATES, filed on  
May 1, 2007, in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. (We hereby  
authorize the attorneys of Stoel Rives LLP to insert said serial number and filing date when known.)

The Assignee, Symantec Corporation, of 20330 Stevens Creek Boulevard, Cupertino, California  
95014, desires to secure the entire right, title and interest therein.

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby  
acknowledge, we HEREBY ASSIGN TO THE ASSIGNEE:

The entire right, title and interest in said inventions in the above-identified  
United States patent application and in all divisions, continuations and continuations-in-  
part of said application, or reissues or extensions of Letters Patent or Patents granted  
thereon, and in all corresponding applications filed in countries foreign to the United  
States, and in all patents issuing thereon in the United States and Foreign countries.

The right to file foreign patent applications on said invention in its own name,  
wherever such right may be legally exercised, including the right to claim the benefits of  
the International Convention for such applications.

We hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, and  
such Patent Office officials in foreign countries as are duly authorized by their patent laws to issue  
patents, to issue any and all patents on said invention to the Assignee as the owner of the entire interest,  
for the sole use and benefit of the said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives.



We hereby agree, without further consideration and without expense to us, to sign all lawful papers and to perform all other lawful acts which the Assignee may request of us to make this Assignment fully effective, including, by way of example but not of limitation, the following:

Prompt execution of all original, divisional, substitute, reissue, and other United States and foreign patent applications on said invention, and all lawful documents requested by the Assignee to further the prosecution of any of such patent applications.

Cooperation to the best of our ability in the execution of all lawful documents, the production of evidence, nullification, reissue, extension, or infringement proceedings involving said invention.

This assignment and agreement shall be binding upon our heirs and legal representatives.

DATED this first day of May, 2007.

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