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I/WE, Nathan Steven Obr, Andrew Herron ("ASSIGNOR"), have invented subject matter ("INVENTION") disclosed and/or claimed in a patent application entitled "ADAPTIVE FLUSHING OF STORAGE DATA" ("APPLICATION"), which:

abla	will be filed without this executed PATENT ASSIGNMENT. ASSIGNOR
	hereby authorizes, and requests, ASSIGNEE'S legal representatives, of
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	customer number 69316. to insert here in parenthesis (Application No. $\frac{12/501,227}{10/2009}$ , filed $\frac{07/10/2009}{10/2009}$ this APPLICATION's Application No. and
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	was filed on;
	is filed concurrently herewith;

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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by the ASSIGNOR, the ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to the ASSIGNEE, the entire and exclusive rights, title and interest in the INVENTION and the APPLICATION (and APPLICATION DERIVATIVES);

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