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## ASSIGNMENT

This AGREEMENT is by and between:

Franz Michael Schuette, a citizen of Germany, residing at 5555 Shoup Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80908,  
and

Lutz Filor, a citizen of Germany, residing at 1680 Merrill Loop, San Jose, CA 951234; referred to as the INVENTOR below; and

OCZ Technology Group, Inc. (OCZ) a corporation of Delaware, having a place of business at 6373 San Ignacio Avenue, San Jose, CA 95119.

1. This AGREEMENT describes an understanding regarding a(n)

### **SOLID STATE MASS STORAGE DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FAILURE ANTICIPATION**

described in:

X U.S. Utility Application Serial No. 12/986,564 with a Filing Date of January 7, 2011, referred to as the "INVENTION" below.

— Attorney Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_, referred to as the "INVENTION" below, for which the INVENTOR are about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States of America.

2. The INVENTOR and OCZ agree to the following:

- a. In exchange for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is acknowledged by this AGREEMENT, the INVENTOR formally assigns to OCZ all right, title and interest, in all countries, in the INVENTION, as well as all of his right, title and interest in any divisions or continuations of the United States patent application, and all Patents, United States and foreign, granted upon any applications which cover the INVENTION, and any reissues or extensions of any patent which may issue from the United States patent application.
- b. The INVENTOR authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents on the United States patent application to OCZ as the assignee of the INVENTION.
- c. The INVENTOR shall cooperate in good faith to provide information and assistance in support of the filing and prosecution of any patent application filed on the INVENTION, as well as any legal proceedings relating thereto, and will sign all instruments and documents and provide such assistance which in the judgment of OCZ is necessary to vest and protect the legal title assigned by this AGREEMENT.

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