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ASSIGNMENT

Whereas, we, FENG LIU, a citizen of United States of America, residing at San Ramon, California; TAO PAN a citizen of United States of America, residing at San Jose, California; ZHIGANG BAI, a citizen of People's Republic of China, residing at Milpitas, California; YUGANG WANG, a citizen of United States of America, residing at Milpitas, California; and SINING MAO, a citizen of United States of America, residing at Fremont, California, have invented certain new and useful improvements in MAGNETIC RECORDING HEAD WITH NANO SCALE POLE TIP BULGE (hereafter "Improvements") for which we have executed an application for a United States Patent filed December 8, 2011, Application No. 13/315,098 (hereafter "Application"); and

Whereas, **Western Digital (Fremont), LLC** (hereafter "Assignee"), a Delaware Corporation, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the Improvements and the Application.

Now, therefore, that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we hereby acknowledge that we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assignees, the entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to and under the Improvements, and the Application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereof and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for the Improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patents for the Improvements to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

We hereby covenant and agree that we will communicate to the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting the Improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and aid the Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the Improvements in all countries.

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FENG LIU	/2/08/201/ Date
State of California) County of ALAMEDA)	Notary Public, personally asis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose
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I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under to paragraph is true and correct.	the laws of the State of California that the foregoing
WITNESS my hand and official seal. Signature: Signature of Notary Public	MARIO RIBEIRO Commission # 1856365 Notary Public - California Santa Clara County My Comm. Expires Jul 28, 2013

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12/8/2011 TAO PAN 12/8/2011
State of California)) ss. County of ALAMEDA)
On, before me,, Notary Public, personally appeared TAO PAN who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.
I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.
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	12/9/11
ZHIGANG BAI	Date
State of California)	
) ss. County of ALAMEM)	
appeared ZHIGANG BAI who proved to me on whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within in executed the same in his/her/their authorized capa	Notary Public, personally the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) astrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they acity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.
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YUGANG WANG Date
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	Dec 20, 2011
SINING MAO	Date
State of California)	
State of California) ss. County of Alameda)	
On <u>December 20 2011</u> , before me, A personally appeared SINING MAO who proved person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to (he/she/they executed the same in his/her/thei	d to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the the within instrument and acknowledged to me that it authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted,
I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under paragraph is true and correct.	r the laws of the State of California that the foregoing
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