

PATENT ASSIGNMENT

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Patent Number:	5495607
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PATENT ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

THIS PATENT ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT (the "*Agreement*"), is made and entered into this 28th day of February, 2012 (the "*Effective Date*"), by and between **Symantec**, a corporation, of 350 Ellis Street, Mountain View, CA 94043 ("*Assignor*") and **Stec IP, LLC** a Delaware limited liability company, of 2 Terrace Way, Ste. C, Greensboro, NC 27403 ("*Assignee*") (each a "*Party*" and collectively the "*Parties*").

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner of all rights, title and interest in and to the United States and foreign patents and patent application as listed on Schedule A (United States patent properties) and Schedule B (foreign patent properties) hereto (collectively the "*Patents*");

WHEREAS, Assignor and Assignee have agreed by a Patent Purchase Agreement (the "*Purchase Agreement*") dated February 28, 2012, by and between Assignor and Assignee, that Assignor shall sell, transfer, assign and set over unto Assignee and Assignee shall accept, all rights, title and interest in and to the Patents as specified in this Agreement;

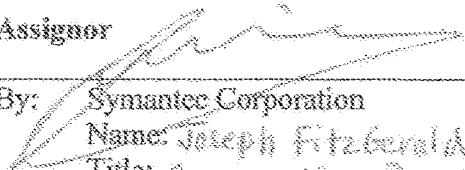
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements of the Parties and pursuant to the Purchase Agreement, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, it is hereby agreed as follows:

I. ASSIGNMENT

1. Assignor hereby sells, transfers, assigns and sets over to Assignee all rights, title and interest (for all countries) in and to the Patents, and all the rights and privileges under any letters patent that may be granted under any continuations, divisions, reissues, reexaminations, renewals and extensions therefor and thereon and all continuations, divisions, reissues, reexaminations, renewals and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including without limitation, all applications for patents and utility models, which may hereafter be filed for said Patents in any country or countries, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from the Patents under the patent laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents and utility models which may hereafter be filed for said Patents in any country or countries, together with the right to file such applications; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, and inventors' certificates which may be granted for said Patents in any country or countries and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof.
2. Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, or to such nominees as it may designate.

3. Assignor agrees that, whenever reasonably requested by Assignee, Assignor will take reasonable efforts to execute all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be reasonably necessary for securing and maintaining rights to the Patents in any country and for vesting title thereto in Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.
4. Assignor authorizes and empowers Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, to invoke and claim for any application for patent, the benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from Assignor.
5. Assignor hereby consents that a copy of this Agreement shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document that may be required in any country for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of Assignee or nominee to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority provided by the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, as amended, or by any convention which may henceforth be substituted for it.
6. All of the rights, title and interest in and to the Patents sold, transferred, assigned and set over to Assignee hereunder include all income, royalties, damages and payments now or hereafter due or payable with respect thereto, and all causes of action (whether in law or equity) and the right to sue, counterclaim, and recover for the past, present and future infringement of the rights assigned or to be assigned hereunder.

Assignor

By: 
Symantec Corporation

Name: Joseph Fitzgerald

Title: Senior Vice President

Assignee

By: 
Stec IP, LLC

Name: William Carter

Title:

**EXHIBIT A
THE PATENTS**

**SCHEDULE A
UNITED STATES PATENTS AND PATENT APPLICATIONS**

US Patent No.: 5,495,607
US Patent No.: 5,678,042
US Patent No.: 5,944,782
US Patent No.: 6,574,657
US Patent No.: 6,738,799
US Patent No.: 7,596,784
US Patent No.: 2002/0166117
US Patent No.: 2009/0210356
US Patent No.: 7,065,566
US Patent No.: 6,963,908
US Patent No.: 7,237,023
US Patent No.: 6,925,481
US Patent No.: 5,832,522
US Patent No.: 5,825,891
US Patent No.: 6,021,408
US Patent No.: 5,819,296
US Patent No.: 5,944,839
US Patent No.: 6,029,246
US Patent No.: 5,978,805
US Patent No.: 6,269,382
US Patent No.: 6,654,746
US Patent No.: 7,065,637
US Patent No.: 6,631,449
US Patent No.: 6,662,310
US Patent No.: 7,231,659
US Patent No.: 7,292,585
US Patent No.: 7,032,089
US Patent No.: 7,917,902
US Patent No.: 7,600,014
US Patent No.: 5,537,585
US Patent No.: 6,918,014
US Patent No.: 7,032,011
US Patent No.: 7,254,621
US Patent No.: 7,266,637
US Patent No.: 7,272,708
US Patent No.: 7,571,290
US Patent No.: 7,634,563
US Patent No.: 7,836,292
US Patent No.: 8,032,626
US Patent No.: 6,757,778