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ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,
I, an Assignor named below,

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Marat Ruder of Georgetown, Texas

hereby sell, assign and transfer to

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its successors, assigns and legal representatives, my entire right, title and interest throughout the world, including all rights to claim priority, in and to the invention disclosed in:

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- ☐ U.S. Provisional Application
- ☐ U.S. Application No.: _____, filed on _____
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of Replicated Volumes on a Tiered Data Storage System,**
and naming as

INVENTOR(S): **William P. Dawkins; Marat Ruder**

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Executed on 7/26/12 by William P. Dawkins
William P. Dawkins

Executed on July 26, 2012 by M. Ruder
Marat Ruder