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## EXHIBIT A

### Patent Assignment

This patent assignment ("Assignment") is entered into as of February 27, 2015 (the "Effective Date"), by and between Craig W. Thompson, an individual with an address at 227 W. 29th Ct., Fayetteville, AR 72701 ("Seller"), and RPX Corporation, a Delaware corporation, with principal place of business at One Market Plaza, Steuart Tower, Suite 800, San Francisco, CA 94105 ("Buyer").

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Seller hereby irrevocably assigns, sells, grants, transfers and conveys and agrees to assign, sell, grant, transfer, and convey to Buyer, and Buyer hereby accepts and receives, all right, title, and interest throughout the world in and to:

(a) the issued patents and pending patent applications identified on Schedule 1 attached hereto and any issued patent or patent application that directly or indirectly claims or is amended to claim priority to any of the above, in whole or in part (the "Listed Patents");

(b) to the extent not included in (a), all issued patents, rights to inventions and pending and future applications for patents under U.S. law or regulation or of any foreign country with respect to the patentable inventions from which such Listed Patents arise, including without limitation utility patents, utility models, design patents, invention certificates, provisionals, continuations, divisionals, continuations-in-part, reexaminations, reissues, extensions and renewals, in all countries of the world, as well as any patents and patent applications to which any of the Listed Patents or any of the foregoing directly or indirectly claim priority, in whole or in part (subcategories (a) and (b) collectively, the "Assigned Patents");

(c) all causes of action (whether known or unknown or whether currently pending, filed or otherwise) and other enforcement rights under or on account of the Listed Patents, including without limitation all causes of action and other enforcement rights for damages, injunctive relief, and any other remedies of any kind for past, current and future infringement; and

(d) all rights to collect royalties or other payments under or on account of the Assigned Patents and the foregoing subcategory (c).

Seller agrees upon request (and at the expense) of Buyer to, and if Seller is unable or unwilling to do so authorizes Buyer to act in Seller's name to: execute all oaths, assignments, powers, and any other papers necessary to perform Seller's obligations hereunder, testify in any proceeding, and otherwise take any action, and fully cooperate with Buyer to perform Seller's obligations hereunder, in each case, related to securing and enforcing Buyer's rights related to this Assignment.

The terms and conditions of this Assignment will inure to the benefit of Buyer, its successors, assigns, and other legal representatives and will be binding upon Seller, its successors, assigns, and other legal representatives.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Assignment to be executed as of the Effective Date. The individuals signing for the parties represent and warrant that he or she has authority to sign for and enter into this Assignment on behalf of the respective parties.

Seller:

Craig W. Thompson

By: Craig W. Thompson

Date: Feb 27 2015

Notary Seal:

**Acknowledgement**

State of Arkansas

County of Washington

On February 27, 2015 before me Patricia Rico  
Notary Public

Personally appeared Craig W. Thompson who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person of the entity upon which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal  
**PATRICIA RICO**  
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PATENTS AND PATENT APPLICATIONS

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