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Subject:

Seagate Patent Disclosure

Seagate Technology LLC has patents and/or patent applications which could be relevant to practice the SCSI Object-Based Storage Device Commands standard and/or the Data Integrity proposal. For any patents that are required to practice the above mentioned standards, Seagate Technology will offer a license to applicants under reasonable terms and conditions that are demonstrably free of any unfair discrimination.

The following U.S. patents or published applications may be relevant:

OBJECT ORIENTED STORAGE DEVICE HAVING A DISC DRIVE CONTROLLER PROVIDING AN INTERFACE EXPOSING METHODS WHICH ARE INVOKED TO ACCESS OBJECTS STORED IN A STORAGE MEDIA

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