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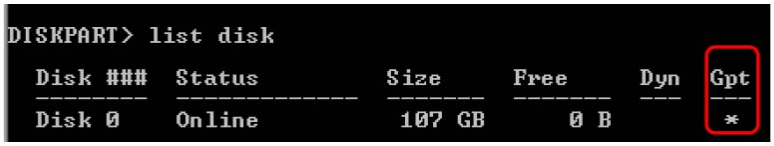
- Launch disk partitioning tool - diskpart.exe (standard tool available in Windows* 7 OS) using the CMD.exe tool.
- At the diskpart prompt, type the command below:

DISKPART> list disk

- If this is an EFI OS (GPT format disk), then you will see an asterisk under the column GPT



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- At the diskpart prompt, type the following commands as shown below:

  DISKPART> list disk
  DISKPART> select disk X
  (X is disk number where you want to create the store partition. Refer to results from "list disk" for exact disk number)
  DISKPART> create partition primary
  DISKPART> detail disk
  DISKPART> select Volume X
  (X is Volume of your store partition. Refer to results from "detail disk" for exact volume number)
  DISKPART> set id=D3BFE2DE-3DAF-11DF-BA40-E3A556D89593

  Assumptions:
  - *EFI -aware Windows 7* is already installed on the SSD drive*

Reboot the system after creating the partition, for the BIOS to identify the existence of this newly-created *Intel® Rapid Start Technology* partition