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100746135 To the Honorable Commission he attached documents or copy thereof. (1) Conveying Party(ies): William J. Miller MRD 6.10.98 Title: 1XN FIBER OPTIC COUPLER/SPLITTER Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes No \boxtimes (2) Receiving Party: Corning Incorporated Patent Dept.; SP-FR-02-12 Corning, NY 14831 (3) Nature of conveyance: Assignment executed: 6/10/98 (4) Application number(s) and/or patent number(s) against which this assignment is to be recorded: A. Patent Application No.(s): 08/ B. Patent No.(s): Filing date: Filing date: If this document is being filed together with a new application, this assignment is also to be recorded against said application, executed on 6/10/98. (5) Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed: Name: Edward V. Charbonneau Reg. No. 35,478 Corning Incorporated Patent Department SP-FR-02-12 Corning, NY 14831 Phone No.: (607) 974-2361 (6) Total Number of applications and/or patents involved: one (7) Total Fee = \$40.00Enclosed (Check No.) Included with filing fee. Check No. Authorization given by Corning Incorporated to charge deposit account number 03-3325 To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document. Date I hereby certify that this correspondence is being Edward V. Charbonneau deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Asst. Total number of pages comprising cover sheet: three Commissioner of Patents and Washington, D.C. 20231 on Name of applicant,

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ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, I, William J. Miller, residing at 69 David Street, Corning, New York 14830, hereby sell, assign and transfer unto Corning Incorporated, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal place of business at Corning, New York, (hereinafter CORNING), as assignee, and unto its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for all countries, in and to certain inventions relating to a 1XN FIBER OPTIC COUPLER/SPLITTER, such inventions being generally described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States executed by me on the day of 1998, provisional patent application Serial No. 60/054,412 filed by me in the United States on July 31, 1997, and in any future patent applications claiming the benefit of the filing date of that application, and all the rights and privileges under any and all Letters Patents that may be granted therefore.

I request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to CORNING, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, or to such nominees as CORNING may designate.

I agree that, when requested, I will, without charge to CORNING and at CORNING's expense, sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining patents for said inventions in any and all countries and for vesting title thereto in CORNING, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees.

I authorize and empower CORNING, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions filed by it or them, 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 said Convention or entered as a supplement to, and to invoke and claim such right of priority without further written or oral authorization from us.

I hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any assignment, consent to file or like document which may be required in any country for any purpose and more particularly in proof of the right of CORNING, or its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees 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 or entered as a supplement to it.

I covenant with CORNING, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees, that the rights and property herein conveyed are free and clear of any encumbrance, and that I have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

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County of Steuben)	
the persons described in and who executed	fore me personally came William J. Miller known to be the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they
executed the same.	Patrice & Jackericks
Notary Public, State of Alex York	Notary Public

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