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York; Lisa A. Tietz, residing at 7 West 4th Street. Corning, New York; and Carlton M. Truesdale, residing at PO Box 244, RD#1, River Road. Corning, New York, 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 **Germanium Doped Silica Forming Feedstock and Method** and generally described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by us on the Aday of Corollary, 1997; the Mark day of Corollary, 1997; and on the Aday of Corollary, 1997 respectively, [provisional patent application Serial No. 60/015,905 filed by us in the United States on December 16, 1996, 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 therefor.

We 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.

We agree that, when requested, we 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 ecuring 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.

We 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.

We 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.

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

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