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To the Honorable Commissioner of Pa.

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(1) Conveying Party(ies): Richard J. Cereo
Shou-Jong Sheih

Title: An Apparatus and Method for Amplifying an Optical Signal

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? Yes ☐ No ☒

(2) Receiving Party: Corning Incorporated
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Corning, NY 14831

(3) Nature of conveyance: Assignment executed: December 16, 1998

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ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, WE, **Richard J. Cereo** residing at 1399 State Rt. 414, Beaver Dams, NY 14812 and **Shou-Jong Sheih** residing at 4899 Hillview Rd., Millport, NY 14864; 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 **An Apparatus and Method for Amplifying an Optical Signal** and generally described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by us on

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respectively, 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 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.

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

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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 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 we have full right to convey the same as herein expressed.

Signed at Corning, N.Y., this

<u>Dec 16th</u>	1998	<u>Richard J. Cereo</u> Richard J. Cereo
<u>Dec. 16</u>	1998	<u>Shou-Jong Sheih</u> Shou-Jong Sheih

State of New York)

: ss.

County of Steuben)

On the 16 day of Dec. 1998, before me personally came **Richard J. Cereo** known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the execution of the same.

Sharon C. Archer
Notary Public

SHARON C. ARCHER
Notary Public, State of New York
Steuben County No. 01AD4636431
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State of New York)

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