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I, LYNN S. CASSAN, a Notary Public for the Province of Ontario, by Royal authority duly appointed, residing at the City of Rockliffe Park, in the said Province, do certify that the paper hereto annexed is a true copy of a document produced and shown to me and purporting to be an assignment document; the said paper annexed having been compared by me with the original thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notarial seal this 12th day of January, 1999 at the City of Ottawa, Canada.



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A Notary Public in and for  
the Province of Ontario

ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT, made this 6<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1998, by Garry E. Paulson, Rodney J. Paydli, Michael P. Vangool and Joseph J. Dudiak, hereinafter referred to as the assignors, whose post office addresses are 219 Mallin Crescent, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada S7K 3X4, 2506 Monroe Avenue, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada S7J 1S9, 230 Willoughby Crescent, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada S7H 4W7 and 3132 Mountbatten Street, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada S7M 3T1, respectively, witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the said assignors are the inventors of the invention entitled PARALLEL TERMINATION APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR GROUND-CHECK MONITORS and believe that they have the right to be named as such in any patent application(s) filed therefor and in any patent(s) to issue thereon, which invention is the subject of a United States application for Letters Patent to be filed concurrently herewith and for which the Declaration and Power of Attorney is executed on this date;

WHEREAS, Startco Engineering Ltd., a corporation duly organized under and pursuant to the laws of the province of Saskatchewan of Canada, having its principal place of business at 406 Jessop Avenue, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada S7N 2S5, hereinafter referred to as the assignee is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and said patent(s) and patent application(s) which have been or may in future be filed in any country;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of ten dollars (\$10.00) and other good and sufficient considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said assignors have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, their entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned invention, applications for patent and any and all patents in the United States of America, and all other countries, which have been or may be granted therefor and thereon, and in and to any and all divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of said applications, reissues and extensions of patent, and all rights under any International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said assignee, for itself and its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which patents may be or may have been granted.

AND for the same consideration, the said assignors hereby covenant and agree to and with the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, the said assignors are the sole and lawful inventors of the said invention and have the unencumbered right to execute this assignment.

AND for the same consideration, the said assignors

hereby covenant and agree to and with the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns that the said assignors will, whenever counsel for the said assignee, or the counsel for its successors, legal representatives and assigns shall advise that any proceeding in connection with the said invention, or said applications for patent or any proceeding in connection with patent(s) for said invention in any country, including interference or conflict proceedings, is lawful and desirable, or that any division, continuation or continuation-in-part of any application for patent or any reissue or extension of any patent to be obtained thereon, is lawful and desirable, sign any and all papers and documents, take all lawful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defence of patent(s) for said invention, without charge to said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, but at the cost and expense of the said assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns.

SIGNED at Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada.



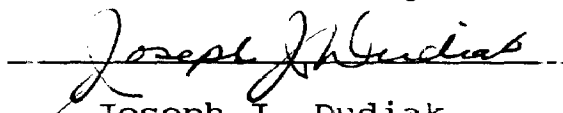
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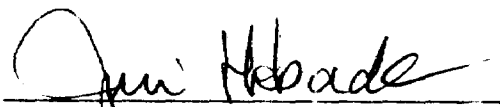
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STATEMENT OF WITNESS

I, Terri Hoback, whose full post office address is 606 Brightwater Bay, Saskatoon Sk S7J5T4 was personally present and did see Garry E. Paulson, Rodney J. Paydli, Michael P. Vangool and Joseph J. Dudiak who are known to me, execute the above assignment.

By: 

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