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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE,

<u>Inventor Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Nationality</u>
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hereinafter called 'Assignors', have made certain inventions in

WAVE DIVISION MULTIPLEXING BASED OPTICAL SWITCH

described in an application for Letters Patent filed herewith by us, and

WHEREAS,

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid by the said Assignee, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the Assignors, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, an undivided One Hundred Percent (100%) of the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in and to the said inventions, applications, Letters Patent, when granted, and in and to any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, improvements, reissues or extensions that may be made or granted on any of them;

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Amir Lahat

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Yackov Sfadya

Witnessed By: x officer OFFER PARTY Date: 4/19/99

Witnessed By: x eric kumar Date: 19/4/99