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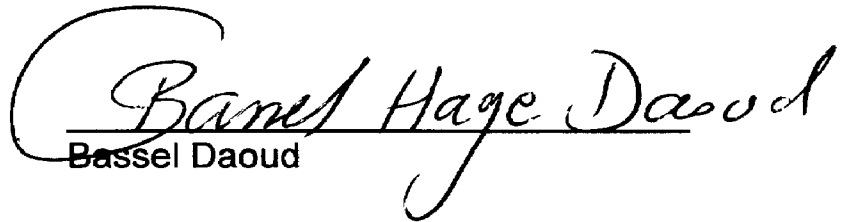
For value received, we, Bassel Daoud of Parsippany, in the County of Morris and the State of New Jersey, George A. DeBalko of Long Valley, in the County of Morris and the State of New Jersey, Antonio A. Figueiredo of Long Valley, in the County of Morris and the State of New Jersey, Mikhail Sumetskiy of Bridgewater, in the County of Somerset and the State of New Jersey, and Christopher M. Helmstetter of Bridgewater, in the County of Somerset and the State of New Jersey, hereby sell, assign and transfer to Lucent Technologies Inc., a corporation of the State of New Jersey, having an office at 600 Mountain Avenue (Room 3C-512), Murray Hill, New Jersey 07974-0636, U.S.A., and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to certain inventions related to **CONNECTOR HOUSING DESIGN FOR STRAIN RELIEF OF WIRES** described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, executed by us of even date herewith, and all the rights and privileges in said application and under any and all Letters Patent that may be granted in the United States for said inventions; and we also concurrently hereby sell, assign and transfer to Lucent Technologies Inc. the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions for all countries foreign to the United States, including all rights of priority arising from the application aforesaid, and all the rights and privileges under any and all forms of protection, including Letters Patent, that may be granted in said countries foreign to the United States for said inventions.

We authorize Lucent Technologies Inc. to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions, or agreements.

We hereby consent that a copy of this assignment shall be deemed a full legal and formal equivalent of any document which may be required in any country in proof of the right of Lucent Technologies Inc. to apply for patent or other form of protection for said inventions and to claim the aforesaid benefit of the right of priority.

We request that any and all patents for said inventions be issued to Lucent Technologies Inc. in the United States and in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as Lucent Technologies Inc. they may designate.

We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to Lucent Technologies Inc. but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.


Bassel Daoud

Date: 9-30-99

United States of America)
State of New Jersey) ss.:
County of Morris)

On this 30th day of September, 19 99, before me personally came Bassel Daoud, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.


Notary Public

MARILYN COX
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY
My Commission Expires June 17, 2001

George A. DeBalko
George A. DeBalko

Date: 9-28-99

United States of America)
State of New Jersey) ss.:
County of Morris)

On this 28th day of September, 19 99, before me personally came George A. DeBalko to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.

Pamela N. Young
Notary Public

PAMELA N. YOUNG
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY
My Commission Expires November 15, 2001


Antonio A. Figueiredo

Date: 10/3/99

United States of America)
State of New Jersey) ss.:
County of Maris)

On this 3rd day of October, 19 99, before me
personally came Antonio A. Figueiredo to me known to be the individual described
in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the
same.


Notary Public

ALMETA CARTER
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY
My Commission Expires Dec. 9 2001


Mikhail Sumetskiy

Date: 10/1/99

United States of America)

State of New Jersey) ss.:

County of Morris)

On this 1st day of October, 19 99, before me personally came Mikhail Sumetskiy to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same.


Notary Public

BARBARA ARMSTRONG
Notary Public of New Jersey
My Commission Expires July 14, 2004

Case Name and No. Daoud 240-25-19-18-8
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Christopher M. Helmstetter
Christopher M. Helmstetter

Date: October 1, 1999

United States of America)
State of New Jersey) ss.:
County of Marri)

On this 1 day of October, 19 99, before me
personally came Christopher M. Helmstetter to me known to be the individual
described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged
execution of the same.

Almeta Carter
Notary Public

ALMETA CARTER
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