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ASSIGNMENT AND AGREEMENT

For value received, we, **Joel Schesser**, of **Marlboro**, in the County of **Monmouth** and State of **New Jersey**, **Francis Bekampis**, of **Wayside**, in the County of **Monmouth** and State of **New Jersey**, **Cleo Anderson**, of **Colts Neck**, in the County of **Monmouth** and State of **New Jersey**, **Robert Lynch**, of **Colts Neck**, in the County of **Monmouth**, and State of **New Jersey**, and **David Gunderson**, of **Ocean**, in the County of **Monmouth** and State of **New Jersey**, hereby sell, assign and transfer to **TYCO SUBMARINE SYSTEMS LTD.**, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having an office at 60 Columbia Turnpike, Morristown, New Jersey 07960, U.S.A., and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, hereinafter collectively "TSSL", the entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, in and to certain inventions related to

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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 TSSL 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 TSSL 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 TSSL 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 TSSL in the United States and to TSSL in all countries foreign to the United States, or to such nominees as they may designate.

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

Joel Schesser
Joel Schesser

Date 12/7/99

United States of America)

State of New Jersey) ss:

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On this 7th day of December 19 99, before me personally came Joel Schesser, to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged execution of the same

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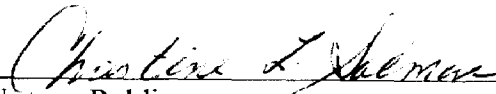
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