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3. Nature of conveyance:

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09/104,916 Filed: 6/25/98
 09/104,639 Filed: 6/25/98

B. Patent No.(s)

4,577,924 Issued: 3/25/86
 4,703,175 Issued: 10/27/95
 4,789,214 Issued: 12/3/88
 4,816,687 Issued: 3/28/89
 4,900,116 Issued: 12/30/88
 4,997,286 Issued: 3/5/91
 5,035,513 Issued: 7/30/91
 5,043,585 Issued: 8/27/91
 5,077,619 Issued: 12/31/91
 5,111,467 Issued: 5/5/92
 5,119,448 Issued: 6/2/92
 5,166,509 Issued: 11/24/92
 5,227,736 Issued: 5/18/92
 5,381,495 Issued: 1/10/95
 5,428,314 Issued: 6/27/95
 5,491,764 Issued: 2/13/96
 6,014,241 Issued: 1/11/00

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RELEASE

This Release is granted on this 26th day of June, 2000, by The CIT Group/Business Credit, Inc., successor by merger to The CIT Group/Credit Finance, Inc. ("Lender") to Tacan Corporation, a California corporation ("Assignor"), as follows:

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, Assignor has heretofore granted to Lender a Security Interest in certain U.S. patents and patent applications, including, without limitation, the inventions and improvements described and claimed therein, and all patentable inventions (the "Patents"), and in certain U.S. trademarks, trademark registrations, trademark applications, trade names and service marks and trademark licenses (the "Marks"), and all proceeds of same, to secure the Obligations of Assignor as defined in the Security Agreement (Intellectual Property) between the parties dated as of April 23, 1999 (the "Security Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, Lender wishes to release and restore all right, title and interest in and to the Patents and the Marks to Assignor and to dissolve any and all Liens and encumbrances respecting such Patents as recorded on May 19, 1999 at Reel/Frame 009958/0196 with the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and such Marks as recorded on May 19, 1999 at Reel/Frame 001899/0704 with the United States Patent and Trademark Office, as specifically shown on the attached Schedule "A" and Schedule "B" hereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Lender hereby releases, discharges, quit claims and relinquishes unto Assignor all right, title and interest in and to the Patents and Marks identified on Schedule "A" and Schedule "B", and more particularly the security interest in such Patents and Marks, all as granted to Lender by Assignor by the Security Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, by and through its authorized officer, has caused this instrument to be executed under seal on the date first written above.

Dated: 6/26/00

**THE CIT GROUP/BUSINESS CREDIT,
INC.**

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By: [Signature]
Name: Lan Wong
Title: Officer

Schedule "A"
PATENT APPLICATIONS

<u>Title</u>	<u>Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Application Date</u>	<u>Application No.</u>
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING NONLINEAR CHARACTERISTICS OF A SIGNAL MODULATOR BY COHERENT DATA COLLECTION	USA	6/25/98	09/104,916
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING NONLINEAR CHARACTERISTICS OF A SIGNAL MODULATOR BY CROSS CORRELATION	USA	6/25/98	09/104,639
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING DISTORTION PRODUCED BY A NONLINEAR DEVICE	USA	9/1/98	09/104,639
METHOD FOR MEASURING TEMPERATURE USING A FLUORESCENT MATERIAL	Japan	1/24/90	12762/90
APPARATUS FOR MEASURING TEMPERATURE USING A SENSOR ELEMENT	France	5/12/89	89.06262
	Germany	4/26/89	P3913652.3
FLUORESCENT SUBSTANCE	Germany	9/24/87	P3732217.6

Schedule "A"

PATENTS

<u>Title</u>	<u>Date Issued</u>	<u>Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Patent No.</u>
OPTICAL RECURSIVE FILTER	3/25/86	USA	4,577,924
FIBER-OPTIC SENSOR WITH TWO DIFFERENT WAVELENGTHS OF LIGHT TRAVELING TOGETHER THROUGH THE SENSOR HEAD	10/27/95	USA	4,703,175
MICRO-OPTICAL BUILDING BLOCK SYSTEM AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME	12/3/88	USA	4,789,214
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MEASUREMENT OF THE FLUORESCENCE RELAXATION PERIOD OF A FLUORESCENT SUBSTANCE	3/28/89	USA	4,816,687
MULTIPLE POLE OPTICAL FILTER	12/30/88	USA	4,900,116
APPARATUS FOR MEASURING TEMPERATURE USING A SENSOR ELEMENT	3/5/91	USA	4,997,286
FLUORESCENT MATERIAL TEMPERATURE SENSOR	7/30/91	USA	5,035,513
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MEASUREMENT OF THE FLUORESCENCE RELAXATION PERIOD OF A FLUORESCENT SUBSTANCE	8/27/91	USA	5,043,585

Schedule "A"

HIGH LINEARITY OPTICAL TRANSMITTER	12/31/91	USA	5,077,619
HYBRID RUGATE FILTER ASSEMBLY FOR TEMPERATURE STABILIZED EMISSION OF GRATING COUPLED SURFACE EMITTING LASERS	5/5/92	USA	5,111,467
MODULAR MICRO- OPTICAL SYSTEMS AND METHOD OF MAKING SUCH SYSTEMS	6/2/92	USA	5,119,448
OPTICAL MODULAR NOISE NONLINEARITY REDUCTION CIRCUIT	11/24/92	USA	5,166,509
SECOND-ORDER PREDISTORTER	5/18/92	USA	5,227,736
OPTICAL FIBER COUPLER OR ATTENUATOR AND METHOD OF USE THEREOF	1/10/95	USA	5,381,495
ODD/EVEN ORDER DISTORTION GENERATOR & DISTORTION CANCELLATION CIRCUIT	6/27/95	USA	5,428,314
NARROWBAND TWISTED OPTICAL FIBER WAVELENGTH DIVISION MULTIPLEXER	2/13/96	USA	5,491,764
FIBER OPTIC SENSOR	7/30/86	Australia	594,693
FIBER OPTIC SENSOR AND METHOD OF USE	3/24/92	Canada	1,297,702
APPARATUS FOR MEASURING TEMPERATURE USING A SENSOR ELEMENT	4/29/92	Great Britain	2218512

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MEASURING FLUORESCENT RELAXATION TIME OF A FLUORESCENT SUBSTANCE	6/5/91	Europe	238856
	"	Germany	P3770501.6
	"	Great Britain	0238856
	"	France	0238856
	"	Italy	68811/BE/91
	"	Netherlands	0238856
	"	Sweden	0238856
	6/13/97	Japan	2661682
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MEASURING FLUORESCENT RELAXATION TIME OF A FLUORESCENT SUBSTANCE	11/18/93	Europe	0387503
	"	Germany	P3788230.9
	"	France	0387503
	"	Great Britain	0387503
FLOURESCENT MATERIAL	8/31/95	Germany	P3902001.0
FLOURESCENT MATERIAL	4/3/96	Europe	0379941
	"	Germany	59010250.8
	"	France	0379941
	"	Great Britain	0379941

Schedule "B"

TRADEMARKS

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Reg. Date</u>	<u>Reg. No.</u>
IMTRAN	FEDERAL	10/19/93	1,799,964
IPITEK	FEDERAL	4/16/91	1,641,149
LUMITHERM	FEDERAL	8/4/92	1,704,747
TACAN	FEDERAL	8/25/92	1,709,747
TACAN(SM)	FEDERAL	9/8/92	1,714,361
TOPLINC	FEDERAL	12/3/91	1,666,492
TOPNODE	FEDERAL	3/3/92	1,677,406
FIBERHUB	California	2/3/92	095,401
FIBER SENTRY	FEDERAL	12/31/96	2,027,153
TRUE COLOR	FEDERAL	10/21/97	2,107,087
NODEWIZARD	FEDERAL	01/12/99	2,217,654

Schedule "B"

TRADEMARK APPLICATIONS

<u>Trademark</u>	<u>Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>	<u>Application No.</u>
LINKAFON	FEDERAL	2/3/95	74/629,894
LUMILOG	FEDERAL	12/05/91	74/227,421