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WHEREAS, THOMSON CONSUMER ELECTRONICS, INC. (TCE, Inc.), a Delaware Corporation having offices at 10330 North Meridian Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46290, and THOMSON Licensing S.A. (TLSA), a French corporation having offices at 46, quai Alphonse Le Gallo, 92648 Boulogne Cedex, France, entered into an agreement calling for the assignment of certain inventions, to TLSA;

NOW THEREFORE, TCE, Inc., in consideration of the mutual covenants of said agreement, does hereby assign to TLSA, its successors and assigns, TCE, Inc.'s entire right, title and interest, for all countries and states, in and to, and including any right to claim priority of

**U.S. Patent Application No. 09/170,885**


**filed October 13, 1998**

**Title: COLOR PICTURE TUBE HAVING METAL STRANDS SPACED  
FROM THE INSULATOR LAYERS  
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THOMSON CONSUMER ELECTRONICS, INC.

Date: September 21, 2000

BY:

  
**Dennis H. Irlbeck**

**Vice President**

**Reg. No. 26,372**

THOMSON multimedia Licensing Inc.

And Attorney in Fact for

THOMSON CONSUMER ELECTRONICS, INC.

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I do hereby certify that THOMSON CONSUMER ELECTRONICS, INC. (TCE, Inc.), having offices 10330 North Meridian Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46290 U.S.A., mentioned in the foregoing Assignment, is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, United States of America, and that **Dennis H. Irlbeck**, who signed the foregoing Assignment, is fully authorized to execute the document on behalf of THOMSON CONSUMER ELECTRONICS, INC. for this purpose.

Signed and sealed the 21st day of September 21, 2000.

  
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