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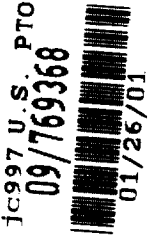
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**SEGMENTED OPTICAL SWITCH**

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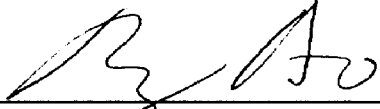
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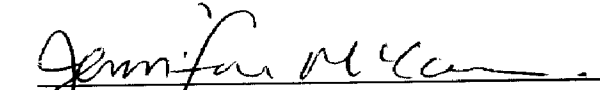
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That I was personally present and did see **Eric Rong Ao**, who is personally known to me duly sign and execute the above Assignment.

  
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